

CHICK-CHAT

'51



To a friend, with
a lot of luck.
Dewey Hooker

To a swell guy
Earl Dancy

W. E. Stark

Lots of luck
as a junior.
Bob

Good luck to a
very swell guy.
J. J. see you
next year.

W. E. Stark

To a swell guy and
a fellow geometry slave.
Jim Pevler

Best of Luck
to a swell
band buddy.
Lance Dickey

Alfred -

Mary you have
the best of luck in
the future years.
From an old Spanishtopai -
Mary Jane Simon

"To a good guy
and lots of luck"
in Spanish
Bill Horne

To a very swell guy who
is sharp as a tack at getting
his lessons.

Jim Wood

To a swell guy.
Mary Ann

To a good
guy
Ronald
Kell

To a wonderful guy.
Love,
Sylvia

To a swell person.
Good luck Norton
Good Mary

To a future Junior.
Beware of next year.
If you have met
Vaughan, beware
twice. Good luck!!
Don Singer

Alfred B. Schuler

Best of luck
to the life of the
study of Ball & Dickman

Best of luck to a
future Junior.
Luck always
Dean Allen

Best wishes
to a swell
fellow.
Jimmy
Jr 51

Lots of love
to a real swell
to a real good
guy. Ray

Alfred - remember
where we were
in the scouts together.
Have fun this
summer.
John Kumar

Good luck to a
swell fellow.
All the best
to a swell fellow.
John Kumar

Good luck to a
swell fellow. I have
especially enjoyed working
with you in M.T.F. Good
luck in all your do in future
years.
Carol Bolton

Go very
wonderfully
Have fun
Carolyn
Good

Here's wishing
the best of luck
to a swell guy.
Leo. Schuler

Go for it

Take care of C.H.S.

Good luck to a swell fellow. Donning

Best of luck to a
swell fellow.
All the best
to a swell fellow.
John Kumar



Dedication

We, the staff of the 1951 Chick-Chat, realize the debt we owe to our Chickasha Senior High School. Throughout the pages of this annual, we have stressed the opportunities given us by the school with the hope that the use we make of these opportunities will live throughout the pages of our lives.

It is to you, Chickasha High School, we now turn, thanking you for the educational opportunities you have given us, and promising in return to be good citizens of our school, our community and our nation.

Foreword

The editorial staff of the 1951 Chick-Chat has endeavored to produce an annual which is a complete record of life at Chickasha High School—our work, our fun, our interests, our activities, our associations and our opportunities.

We acknowledge with appreciation the cooperation of the administrative officers, the faculty, and the student body.

We present the 1951 Chick-Chat with the sincere hope that this edition will be an old friend recalling to you pleasant memories of life at Chickasha High School.

STAFF AT WORK



Staff members working at their lay-out sheets.

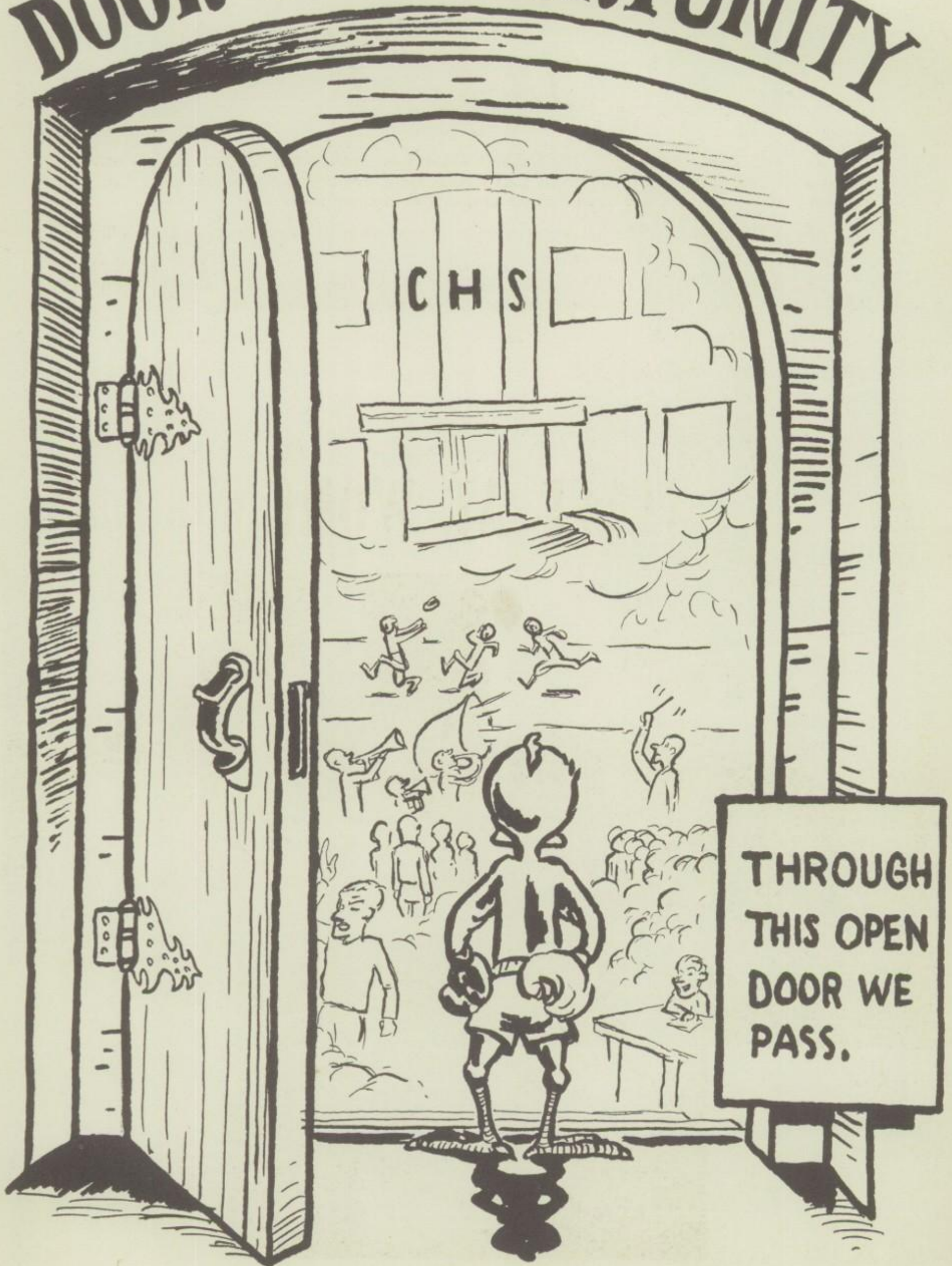


Faculty staff members selecting pictures to be used.



Boyd Pilcher working at his designs for the divisional pages.

DOOR OF OPPORTUNITY

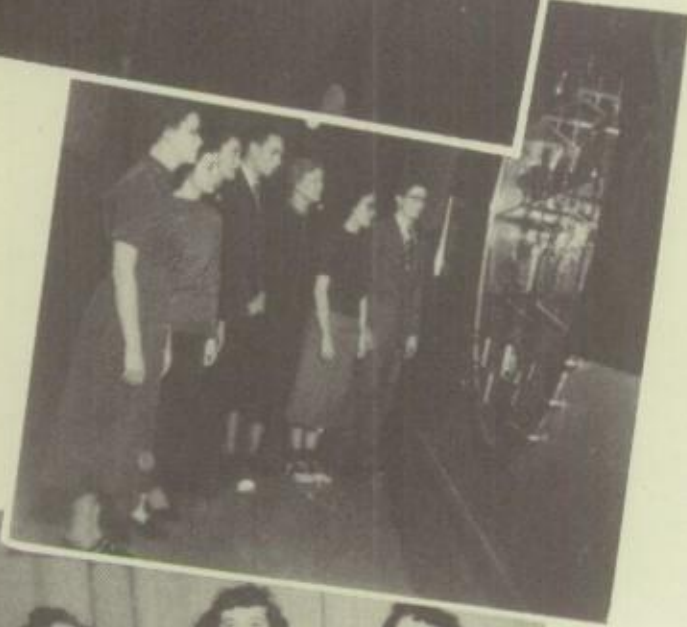




Administration



Classes



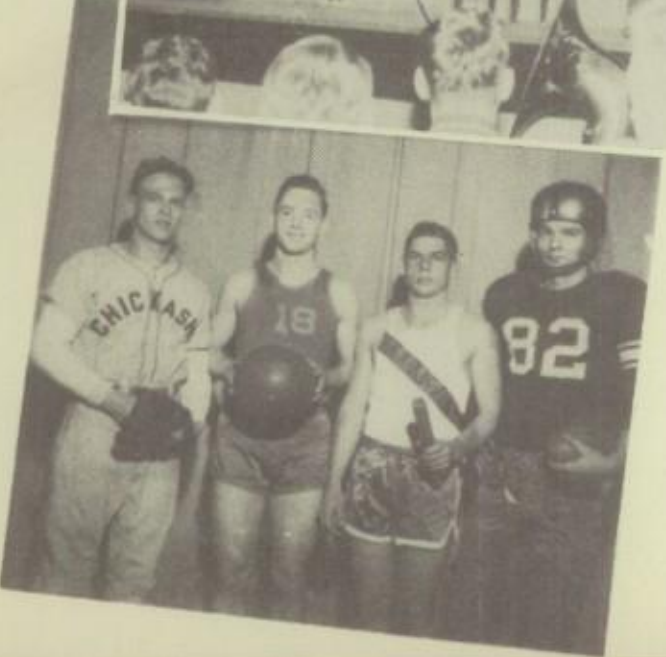
Organizations



Activities



Features



Athletics



Left to right: Mr. Bruce J. Myers, superintendent; Mr. Homer Ratliff, president; Mr. Roy Pierce, clerk-business manager; Mr. Paul Ferguson, first vice-president; Dr. W. C. Travis, second vice-president; Mr. Homer Bolton, member; Mr. Reford Bond, Jr., member

ADMINISTRATION

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Back of a good school system must be a good school board. The Chickasha Board of Education is made up of men who stand high in community regard as leaders in their respective fields. Patient, intelligent effort for the common

good has characterized the work of the Chickasha School Board. To its members the Class of 1951 owes a debt that can be discharged only through good citizenship, which seeks to extend to others better educational opportunities.



MR. BRUCE J. MYERS

Mr. Bruce J. Myers, our superintendent, has been a faithful friend to the students of Chickasha High School. His presence at our activities gives evidence of his never failing interest in us. He has always cooperated in our enterprises and has worked for the greatest welfare of our school. His position as superintendent of a school system as large as ours is no easy one. He has rendered great service to our community by making the Chickasha schools rank among the best in Oklahoma.

The students recognize their debt to Mr. Myers and sincerely appreciate his work in helping create the opportunities they have enjoyed.

MR. ROY J. PIERCE

Mr. Roy J. Pierce has won the friendship and admiration of the faculty and students in the years he has served as clerk of the Chickasha Board of Education. He has always been ready and willing to help the students in every way possible. Mr. Pierce has been very understanding and helpful and has constantly worked to improve the Chickasha schools. We shall remember him as a valued friend.



MR. TRICE L. BROADRICK

Mr. Trice L. Broadrick, our principal, has endeared himself to the students of Chickasha High School through his tireless efforts in our behalf and his sympathetic understanding of our problems. He has done much to give us a firm foundation in the fundamentals of an education, and at the same time has opened our eyes to the opportunities our school has to offer. For his friendship, interest and guidance we are deeply grateful.



MISS HILDRED TODD

The students and faculty find the office of Chickasha High School to be a pleasant place, where one is always greeted with a smile. Miss Todd is at all times ready and willing to give assistance to others while carrying out her duties as registrar and secretary to the principal. They sincerely mean it when they say, "Thanks for everything!"



Meeting with the "Boss."



MRS. ERMA LEE CALDWELL

B.A.
Vocal Music

Erma Lee Caldwell



MRS. CORNELIA CARTER

B.S.
Home Economics

The faculty opened the door

MR. HARLY DAY

B.S.
Basketball Coach,
Driver Education

MISS HAZEL FLEMING

B.A.
Librarian

MR. DUARD GIVENS

B.A.
Industrial Arts, History

MR. BOBBY GOAD

B.S. M.E.D.
Football Coach,
Physical Education

MRS. VIRGINIA HOLLIDAY

B.A.
Science

MR. WILBURN HOWARD

B.S., M.S.
Auto Mechanics

MRS. MARJORIE JONES

B.A., M.A.
English

MRS. VENETTA KELL

B.S., M.A.
Shorthand, Bookkeeping

MISS HATTIE KILGORE

B.A., B.S., M.A.
History

MISS WINIFRED LANGSTON

B.M., B.S.
Typing





MR. LEROY LE FORCE
B.S.
Agriculture



MISS ILA LUCAS
B.S.
Home Economics

Ila Lucas



Reading the morning bulletin.

*Buena Suerte
a Alfredo
uno de los mejores.
Ida High*

to opportunity and knowledge.

MRS. JUANITA
O'DONLEY
B.A., M.A.
Mathematics

MISS CLARA BELLE
OWEN
B.A.
Latin, English

MR. WALDO PROFFITT
B.A., M.A.
Biology *Proffitt*

MR. AMOS
SMOTHERMAN
B.S., M.A.
Carpentry

MR. GLENN STARK
B.S., M.MUS.ED.
Band Director

MR. A. C. STREETER
B.A., M.A.
Spanish, Problems of
Democracy

MISS FRANCES
VAUGHAN
B.A., M.A.
English

MISS NELLIE
WATERMAN
B.A.
Speech, English

MR. CLAUDE WELCH
B.S., M.A.
Mathematics, Aeronautics

MRS. EDITH WELCH
B.A.
French, Journalism



Frances Vaughan

Nellie Waterman

Claude Welch

Edith Welch



MR. A. C. STREETER

Chickasha High School has lost one of its most beloved and loyal faculty members, A. C. Streeter, instructor in Spanish, who died February 22.

Mr. Streeter had been associated with Chickasha High School for over 23 years, taking an active part in sponsoring many school activities. From the inception of the yearbook in 1946, his was the hand and mind that nurtured the five previous editions which took their place among Oklahoma high school annuals.

He was never too busy to joke with his students or lend a helping hand when help was needed. In all the years that he was a member of the high school faculty he untiringly gave of his time and effort to make ours a better school. His entire life was devoted to the education of young people.

With this awareness of his valuable contributions we, the 1951 Chick-Chat staff, take this opportunity to express on behalf of the students of Chickasha High School, our appreciation of his long years of labor, and our deep sorrow in having lost him.

and many hours of pleasure

MR. W. RANSOM DAVIS
B.S.
Director of Safety Education
Visiting Teacher



MR. JONAS TODD
Maintenance Department



MR. G. S. SPOON
Head Custodian



MR. ODIS PHILLIPS
Assistant Custodian



SENIORS





CAROLYN ACORD
Chickette; Commercial club; Net Wits, president; Junior play staff; Student Council; Chick-Chat staff



MARION AIRINGTON
Pepette; Student Council; Office assistant; Chorus



PAT ANDERSON
FHA; Commercial Club; Office assistant; Chick-Chat staff; Band; Chorus; Mixed Quartet

Seated: Don Funk, president; Barbara Dunlap, vice-president. Standing: Paula Jean Dickey, secretary; Dan Taylor, treasurer. Our class officers have ably guided us through our senior year.

The Class of 1951

Alfred and Barbara had a good time studying and playing hard and making a good friend. Bob

you feel like a guy in future marriage. Lots of luck next year in Band. I have fun Pat

ROBERT AUSTIN
Rooster; Chorus; Mixed Quartet

CLARK BAILEY
Football; Track letterman; Golf letterman; Honyok; Stagecraft

MARY LOU BAITY
Pepette; French club, president; Junior play cast; Office assistant; National Honor Society, vice-president

NORMA JEAN BAKER
FHA; Chorus

TOMMY BALLINGER
DAR History award

CLYDE BAXTER
FFA

KENNETH BECK

SALLIE SUE BEELER
Pepette

PHYLLIS BELEW
Pepette, treasurer; Office assistant; Chorus

MARY LOU NESBITT
BELK
Commercial club





MYRNA LEE BLACK
Chickette, president; Prairie Schooner editor; Chick-Chat, assistant editor; Student Council, secretary-treasurer; Commercial Club; Band; Office assistant; Junior play lead; Basketball queen attendant, 1951; DAR Citizenship award



CAROL BOLTON
Chickette; FHA; Junior play lead; Chorus; Net Wits



TOMMY BOSWELL
Sophomore class vice-president; Junior class secretary; Junior play staff



Mrs. Marjorie Jones and Miss Nellie Waterman, class sponsors, have helped to bring about many of the opportunities we have enjoyed as seniors.

has taken full advantage

PEGGY BROCK
FHA; Commercial Club

MELTON BROWN
French club, vice-president

JOHN BUTLER
Chorus

LAWANA CHAPMAN
FHA; Chorus; Girls Trio

MARGARET CHAPMAN
Pepette; Chick-Chat staff; Office assistant; Chorus

BOB CHRISTIAN
Baseball; T&I

JOYCE NELLE COOK

MARY CREASEY
FHA; Chorus; Commercial club

LOREN CUNNINGHAM
Baseball

CHLOIE SUE DAVIDSON
FHA





JAMES B. DAVIS
Chorus



JOY DAVIS
FHA; Commercial club



MARGARET DAVIS

World history students have the opportunity to learn more about the great sphere on which we live. Shown are: Melton Brown, Beverly Downs, Duard Givens, instructor, Carol Bolton, and Tommy Boswell.

*Go ahead
sue! Guy
I wish the
best of luck.
Don't get in
trouble a hurry
H.A.P.
Bev.*

of our many opportunities.

PAULA JEAN DICKEY

Commercial club, president;
Student Council; Chick-Chat
staff; Sophomore class secretary;
Senior class secretary; Football
Queen attendant, 1950; Band;
Chorus; Sextette; Girls Trio

DON EAKES
Chorus

BEVERLY DOWNS

Chickette; Assistant Yell
leader; Net Wits; Junior
play cast; Basketball Queen
attendant 1950 and 1951;
Chorus; Chick-Chat staff

HAROLD ELLIS

BARBARA DUNLAP

Chickette; FHA;
Commercial club, vice-
president; Band; Student
Council; Junior play staff;
Senior class vice-president;
Chick-Chat staff

SHIRLENE ESKRIDGE
Pepette, vice-president;
Chorus

DE LOIS DUTTON

FHA; French club,
secretary; Chorus

VIOLA FIELDS
FHA; Student Council;
Chorus

KENDALL DYKES

MARY RAE FINLEY
Commercial club; Student
Council; Band, twirler;
Chorus; Mixed Quartet



Don Eakes

*lots of
fun
I had
with
the
girls*

*Best Wishes
to a
sweet
guy
Rae
Finley*



BARBARA FLESHER
Commercial club



ELTON FOLEY
Baseball letterman;
Sophomore class president;
Junior play lead; Student
Council

"Red"
Foley



ROBERT FREISE
T&I; Chorus



Chemistry offers the opportunity for students to acquire a background for a contribution to the great field of research. Shown are: Woody Southerland, George Dutton, Mrs. Virginia Holliday, instructor, Chatty Southerland, Carol Bolton and George Ishler.

We have gone through CHS

Joe Frey

JOE FREY
FFA

DON FUNK
Football letterman; Basketball letterman; Tennis letterman; All-State center; "C" club, president; Student Council, president; Senior class president; Junior class vice-president; National Honor Society; Office assistant; Chorus

NEVA CAROL GATEKA
Pepette; Chorus

BETTY HANDY

MILDRED HARDIMAN
Chickette; French club;
Junior play cast; Chick-Chat staff; Chorus

LELIA HAYES
Pepette; FHA; Commercial club; Office assistant

SHIRLEY HOLCOMB

CHARLES HOWARD
Rooster; Chorus; Football

RITA MAE HOWERY
Chorus

BRUCE HUNTLEY





BOB HURT
Basketball; Football
manager; Tennis letterman;
Honyok; Net Wits, vice-
president; Junior class,
treasurer; Band



KEITH JERMAIN
T&I



JOE JOHNSON
T&I

Bookkeeping is only one of the commercial subjects offered which train students for the field of business. Facing the camera are: Mary Creasey and Melvin McGuffin. Back row: James Davis, Sallie Sue Beeler, Udeen McDonald and Lauana Palmer.

with pride in its achievements

*To a swell
day - lots of
luck -
Max Johnson*

MAXOLA JOHNSON
Pepette, secretary; Office
assistant; Chorus

ERMA JEAN KEES
Pepette; Commercial
club

BILL KING
Basketball; Baseball
letterman

KAYE KITCHENS
Pepette, secretary; FHA;
Commercial club, secretary;
Office assistant; Net Wits;
Chick-Chat staff

MAEJEAN LA BOO
Pepette; Assistant Ye
leader; Chorus; Net W

JEANNE LANCE
FHA; Commercial club

DICK LEMON

MAXINE LESLIE
Commercial club; Chorus

MARY INEZ LESTER
Commercial club; Chorus;
Band

BETTY LINTON
FHA, secretary





RUBY LONG
HA, president; Pepette;
Office assistant



JACK MALLOUF
Honyok, president; T&I;
Student Council; Chorus

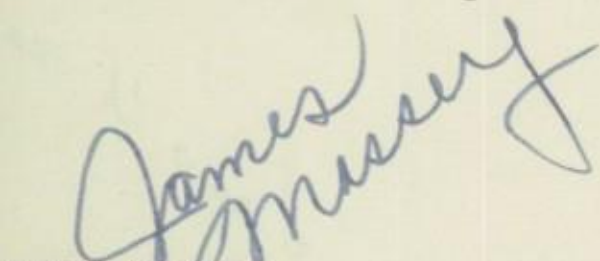


JOHN MARSHALL
Rooster; T&I



Pre-Flight Aeronautics offers the opportunity of learning air navigation. Standing are: Bill Singer, Dan Taylor, Carroll Tuggle and Tommy Winton. Claude Welch, instructor, is seated.

and love for its traditions.



JAMES MASSEY
Basketball; Baseball
letterman

BETHEL MASTERS

GER McMASTERS

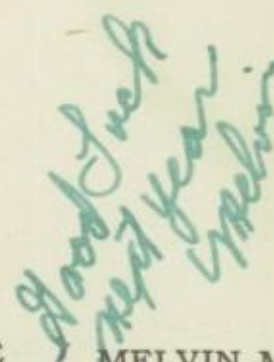
TED MORRIS

MARILYN McAFEE
Chickette; Chorus

DON MUCHMORE
T&I

UDEEN HUFFINE
McDONALD
Chickette; Commercial club

BETTY MYERS



MELVIN McGUFFIN

ORVAL MYERS
Baseball letterman





CAROLYN NASH
Pepette; Chorus



LA VERNE NORMAN
Chickette, treasurer;
Commercial club; Junior
play lead; Student Council;
Chorus



JIMMY OSBORN
Honyok, secretary; Band



LAUANA PALMER
Commercial club; Student
Council; Chorus; National
Honor Society



BETTY PEARSALL
Pepette, president
Commercial club; Student
Council; Chick-Chat
Chorus; Basketball
attendant, 1949

We leave with the knowledge

Good friend
He a swell
little
I'm enjoying
knowing

Stan's mom

DONALD PERRY

BOYD PILCHER
T&I; Chick-Chat staff

DON PITTMAN
Football letterman; Golf
letterman; Rooster; "C"
club; Junior play staff

MARY LOIS QUAYLE
Commercial club

STANLEY RICHISON
Rooster; French club
treasurer; Band

EDNA ROBERTS
Commercial club

FRANK ROBERTS
Football letterman;
Basketball letterman;
Baseball letterman; "C"
club

RUDY ROCKETT
Football letterman; "C"
club; T&I

TOMMY ROSE
Football; Rooster

LORENE ROUSE
Pepette; Chorus





Mike Russell

MIKE RUSSELL
Basketball



MARGARET RUSSELL
FHA, treasurer; Chorus,
Sextette



Mary Ann

MARY ANN RUSSELL
Chickette, vice-president;
Commercial club; Assistant
Yell leader; Chorus



CECIL SANDERSON
Basketball; Rooster



VERN NELL SHIELD
Pepette; National Honor
Society; Chorus

*To a real swell
guy. Best wishes
Mary Ann
Russell*

of a race well run

*To of Luck
Bob
Shoemaker*

BOB SHOEMAKE
Basketball letterman

STEL STANDRIDGE
FFA, president

BILL SINGER
Football letterman; Baseball
letterman; Tennis
letterman; Basketball
letterman; Basketball
scorekeeper; Honyok; "C"
club; Chorus

MONA STARK
Commercial club;
Chick-Chat, editor; Band;
twirler; National Honor
Society, secretary-treasurer;
DAR History award;
Chorus, accompanist

*Good luck
Alfred. Remember
those band
trips.
Mona Stark*

RAY SMEDLEY
Football manager; Baseball
manager; Stagecraft

LAWRENCE STARTZ

*Chatty
Sutherland*

CHATTY
SOUTHERLAND

TOMMY SUDDARTH

*Woody
Sutherland*

WOODY
SOUTHERLAND
Rooster; Chorus; Boys
Quartet

DAN TAYLOR
Senior Class treasurer;
Student Council, vice-
president; Junior play lead;
National Honor Society,
president; Good Manners
award



Bill Singer



Stel Standridge



Dan Taylor



ALMA THOMAS



CHARLENE STANTON
THOMAS
Commercial club; Chorus



CARROLL TUGGLE
Golf letterman; Honyok;
Student Council; Band



BETTY JEAN
VERMILLION
Chickette; Assistant Yell leader;
Net Wits, secretary; Commercial
club; Junior play lead;
Stagecraft, secretary; Chick-Chat
staff; Band; Chorus



LEON VERNON
Basketball; Chorus

and an eagerness for the future.

ANN WALDEN
Pepette; Commercial club

JANE WALKER
Chickette

JEANNE WILEY
Chickette, secretary; Net
Wits; Chick-Chat, 1949;
Band; Chorus; Office
assistant

NADINE WEBB
Commercial club

JAMES WILLIAMS
T&I

DON WHITAKER
Football letterman;
Baseball letterman;
Basketball letterman;
Honyok; "C" club; Chick-
Chat staff; Student Council;
Junior play lead; Chorus

TOMMY WINTON
Honyok; Junior play lead;
Band

JANELLE WIEBENE
Chorus, accompanist



JUNIORS





Junior class officers, left to right: Mary Busby, treasurer; Don Singer, president; Beverly Henkle, vice-president; Virgine Mayes, secretary.



Karliene Abshier



Joe Alexander



Dean Allen



Eugene Arnold



Margaret Atkins



Dick Bailey

The Class of 1952

Ted Bingham

J. M. Barrett

Freddy Bassett

Buster Baxter

Louise Bellah

Ted Bingham

Gordon Bittle

Don Booher

Ralph Boswell

Janet Bowen

Barbara Bowman

Tommy Briscoe

Delores Brewer

Howard Brown

Mary Busby

Joe Byford

Duane Carter

John Clement

Barbara Cochran





Junior class sponsors, left to right: Mrs. Venetta Kell and Miss Frances Vaughan.

Joe Cook David Crouch Evaleen Crow
Frances Davis Gwilda Davis Buddy DeHart

took a fresh start
Martin Duncan

Bob DeKinder Martin Duncan Eula Dutton George Dutton Harriet Edmiston Bill Erwin
Iae Jean Estes Beverly Evans Billy Evans B. L. Fatheree Bonnie Fitzpatrick Jacquetta Fitzpatrick
Lewis Flagler Vernon Free Harold Gibson Ida Lu Ginn Florene Glass Ben Goff





A look at a typing class "pecking away."



Leonard Goodwyn
Marjorie Hambleton



Shirley Hackett
Dorothy Hendrix



John Hale
Beverly Henkle



with high resolutions

Bill Hickman
Betty Hunter
Lillian Keathley

Jerrie Lou Hill
Larry Hutson
Jevita Ann Kell

Jean Hobbs
George Ishler
Bruce King

Margaret Honegger
Ronald Jaggers
Sara Kitchens

J. C. Houx
Janelle Johnson
Mel Klepper

Shirly Howard
Bob Jones
Eddie Kruse





John Kunau
Ralph Leonard

Anna Dee Lang
Louis Lester

Margaret Lay
Robert Link



Left to right: Don Booher, Sue Moore, Beverly Henkle, J. C. Houx and Bruce Huntley, American history students looking at the "Four Freedoms."

and strong determination

Jerald Malcom
anelle Meadows
Nancy Norton

Jimmie Marquis
Velma Medlin
Joan Oller

Cara Jo Marsh
Sue Moore
Kay Osborne

Virgine Mayes
Richard Mitchell
Norma Pearson

Beth Mayo
Elaine Nations
Jimmy Peavler

Nellie McMasters
Wilbur Neal
Armon Perrin





Mr. Streeter's POD class learning about American democracy.

Royce Perrin

Vardell Peterson

Bill Pierce

Maudena Powers

Bobbye Lou Quayle

Betty Ragland

to become Seniors.

Ronny Ratliff

Joyce Renner

Jim Rice

Blanche Rodgers

Gay Rogers

Dennis Roper

Patricia Ruth

Bettie Savage

Glendal Shadoan

Don Singer

Phyllis Slee

Jimmie Smiley

Eva Jo Smith

Nicky Smith

Jerry Sneed

Evert Sperling

Karl Spriestersbach

Larry Standridge





Bobby Taylor Barbara Ann Thomas Barbara Ellen Thomas
 Mary Ann Thomas Laureta Thompson Fred Thomasson



Mr. LeForce showing Joe Frey, Larry Standridge, Ted Bingham, Buster Baxter and Clyde Baxter how to build a hayrack in vocational agriculture.

We answered the knock of opportunity

Paul Tice Mary Jo Tryon Oleta Turner Jerry Tyrrell Don Underwood Joe Ussery
 Delores Vaughan Frances Venable Ila Marie Vermillion Jean Walker Charles Wall Ida Warren
 Rita Watson Ramona Waund June Webb Wanda Jo West Duane Wheeler Leacil Wilfong





Bill Wilkins



Loretta Woolman



Donald Wyatt

Miss Fleming showing Clarice Powell, Beth Smotherman and Earline Blish how to check out a book, while Cara Jo Marsh and Udeen McDonald file cards.

and success was ours.



WE SHOOK THE FAMILY TREE

Characters—Left to Right:

JUNIOR CLASS PLAY

Bobbie Lou Quayle	Paige
Barbara Ann Thomas	Ellie May
Jim Rice	Bob
Shirley Howard	Mrs. Shermer
Don Singer	Mr. Shermer
Joe Cook	Freddie Shermer

Mary Busby	Hildegard
Barbara Cochran	Jill
Duane Wheeler	Jimmy
Ila Vermillion	Mrs. Dolson
Ben Goff	Mr. Dolson
Beverly Henkle	Sally

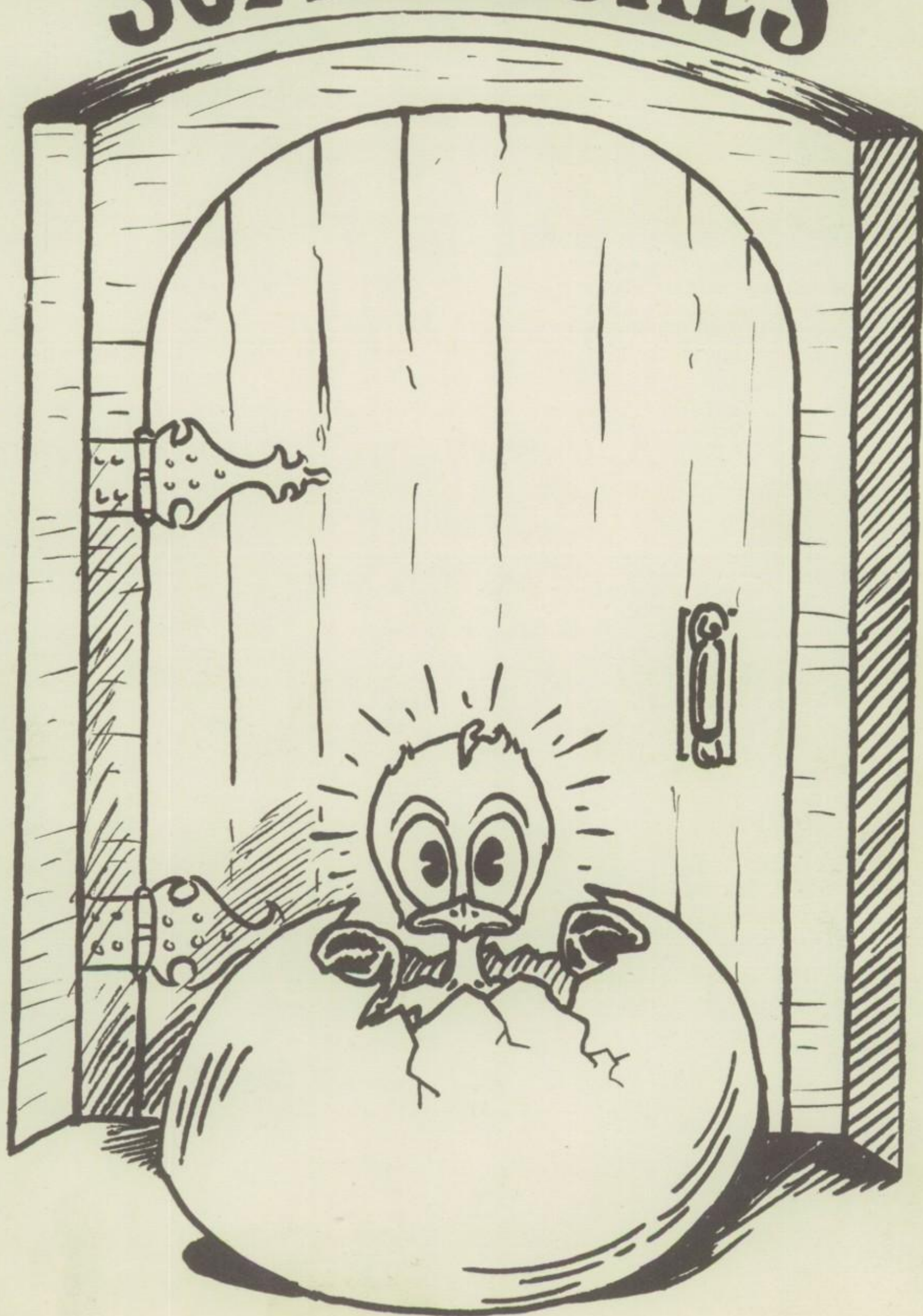
Director:

Nellie Waterman
Mrs. Venetta Kell, sponsor

Student Directors:

Jerrie Lou Hill
Kay Osborne

SOPHOMORES





Our class officers are, left to right: Chauncey Goetting, president; Meta Faye Munn, secretary; Dorothy Bryan, treasurer; Jerry Jobe, vice-president.



Dorothy Adams



Betty Allen



Leona Armstrong



Shirley Armstrong



Dorothy Ayers



Yvonne Baird

The Class of 1953 entered timidly

Bill Barnett

Billie Jo
Bomesberger

Dorothy Bryan



Harold Barrington

Loren Booher

Don Cabler



Emma Lee
Beauchamp

Dwain Boothe

Bobby Calhoun



Jewel Beaver

Ray Bowles

Bob Campbell



Kelmer Beck

Oleta Boycott

Francis Carter

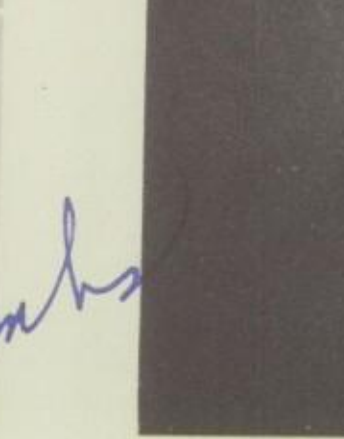
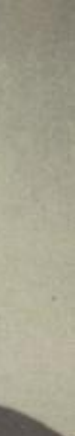


Earline Bliss

Jack Briscoe

Pat Carter





Irma Chandler

Willine Chappell

Alger Clark

Barbara Cole

Jerry Cole

Rena Fern Combs

Our class sponsors are Mrs. Juanita O'Donley and Mr. Waldo Proffitt.

into the hallowed halls of CHS

Shirley Cook

John Cook

Janiece Cooper

Otis Courtwright

Jasper Cross

Mavis Crow

Emma Faye Cunningham

Lyle Cunningham

Larry Dahlgren

Charlene Daley

Ben DeKinder

Tommy Denton

Donald Dryden

Charles Dungan

Jerry Elston

Betty Evans

Billy Jo Fields

Don Fleming





Wyman Webster shows a group of woodworking boys how to run the jointer.



Barbara Fowler Sylvia Fullerton Joy Funk
Charlotte Gassaway Lora Lea Gibson Donald Gibson

It was a strange new world

Ernest Gill	Chauncey Goetting	Bill Graves	Bill Grigsby	Mary Harris	Tommy Harris
John Hart	Jack Heard	Ronnie Hefner	Walter Hendon	Duane Hill	Eugene Hilliard
Joan Holmes	Dewey Hooker	Bill Horn	Jackie Howe	Robert Howery	Beth Huntley





Valerie Huntley
Augustine Jones

Mel James
Lillie Jones

Jerry Jobe
Don Jones



Mr. Proffitt teaches a lesson with the micro-projector to Marilyn McAfee, Virginia Odom, Clarice Powell, Bill Barnett, J. W. Henderson and Shirley Armstrong.

but we seized our opportunity

Dorothy Kees
Wayne Lehw
John Malaby

Sally Kent
Mary Jane Lemon
Sandra Maley

Larry Kilborn
Venita Lewis
Jim Marshall

Billy Kile
Virginia Linville
Qureatha McCray

John Kile
Philip Littlefield
Joe McDuff

Jim Krouse
Loretta Love
Cleta Messick





Mrs. Jones explains a Shakespearian stage to Beth Huntley, Virgil Petty, Johnny Mosley, Wesley Venable, Julia Wright and Shirley Rotramel.



Bob Miller



Ernest Miller



Starling Miller



Gail Minnett



Marjorie Mobly



Volley Moore

and made a place for ourselves

Johnny Mosley

Johnny Mosley

Iona Muchmore

Meta Faye Munn

Frieda Myers

Bill Nabors

Sue Nipps

Virginia Odom

Oscar Ogle

Virginia Pate

Jimmie Lu Paul

Russell Pethtel

Virgil Petty

Charles Pittman

Clarice Powell

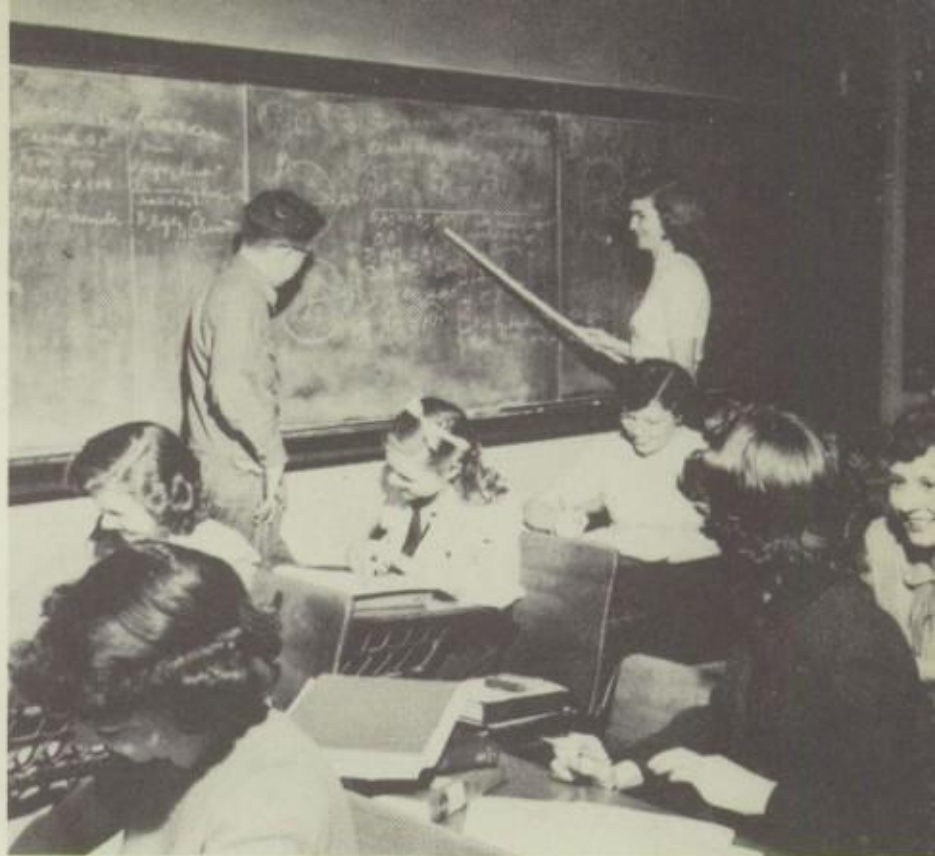
Stephen Ray

Mary Ann
Ransbarger

Donna Ratzlaff

Kathryn Reed





Billy Richardson

Shirley Riddle

Darryl Roberson

Wanice Rogers

Shirley Riddle

Austin Russell

Mrs. O'Donley explains a geometry problem to Loren Booher while the business arithmetic class is "supposedly" studying.

in academic work

Mary Satterwhite

Carol Savage

James Schmidt

Ronald Schroeder

Alfred Schuler

Joan Sharp

Addirene Short

Marvin Sikes

Sue Smith

Bennie Smith

Billy Smith

Joe Smith

Jerry Smith

Betty Stiles

Wanda Stites

Maurice Stockton

Douglas Sullivan

Don Taff





Mr. Day shows the parts of the driver training car to future drivers.



Emily Thompson



Olan Thornton



Josie Troxell



Chester Tumelson



Billie Ann Turner



Duane Underwood

in sports and in activities.

William Vance
Don West
Jim Wood

Patricia Vaughn
Allene White
Julia Wright

Wesley Venable
Kenneth Wicks
Margaret Wiebener

Ann Virgin
Patricia Williams
Charles Wright

Lois Waldron
Jon Wilson
Don Young

Wyman Webster
Verla Jo Wood
Mr. Waldo Proff
head sponsor



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ORGANIZATIONS

No matter what your interests are, you can find an organization among the many at Chickasha High School to suit you. These are the various organizations with a survey of the opportunities offered by each.



Bully Sal





Top row, left to right: George Ishler, Don Whitaker, Elton Foley, Lyle Cunningham, John Clement, Carroll Tuggle. Second row, left to right: Joe Byford, Carolyn Acord, Loretta Love, LaVerne Norman, Mary Creasey, Marion Airington, Bill Hickman. Third row, left to right: Chauncey Goetting, Mary Rae Finley, Barbara Dunlap, Betty Pearson, Nancy Norton, Eva Jo Smith, Lauana Palmer, Don Singer. Fourth row, seated, left to right: Don Funk, Dan Taylor, Myrna Lee Black, Miss Hattie Kilgore, sponsor.

With high ideals and purposes **STUDENT COUNCIL**

The Student Council has attained a position of honor and respect in Chickasha High School by its interest and participation in school activities.

The council has been the instrument that has fostered better understanding and cooperation between students and faculty.

The activities sponsored by the Student Council this year are the following: Football queen, Red Cross drive, Back to School night, Basketball queen, March of Dimes drive, Homecoming assembly, Good Manners award, DAR Good Citizenship award; Representatives to the Southern Association of Student Council convention; Representatives to the State convention of Oklahoma Federation of Student Councils; Joint dinner meeting with the junior high school Student Council, attended by faculty members of each school; Representative to the Career conference.



Representatives to the Southern Association of Student Councils convention, *back row, left to right: Don Funk, Don Singer, Dan Taylor; front row, left to right, Carolyn Acord, LaVerne Norman*

Dan Taylor, vice-president; Myrna Black, secretary; Don Funk, president



Representatives to the State convention of the Oklahoma Federation of Student Councils, *back row, left to right: Don Funk, Loretta Love, Lyle Cunningham; front row, left to right: John Clement, Myrna Black, Eva Jo Smith, Don Whitaker*



Top row, left to right: Melton Brown, James Davis, Tommy Suddarth, Elton Foley, James Massey, Dan Taylor, Don Funk, Tommy Ballinger, Don Singer
Middle row, left to right: Myrna Black, Eula Dutton, June Webb, Marilyn McAfee, Margaret Hambleton, Paula Jean Dickey, Mary Lou Baity, Joy Davis, Janelle Wiebener, Lauana Palmer
Bottom row, left to right: Mona Stark, Eva Jo Smith, Harriet Edmiston, Mary Rae Finley, Nancy Norton, Vern Nell Shield, Margaret Chapman, Shirly Howard

we took this opportunity

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The National Honor Society of the National Association of Secondary School Principals was formed "to create an enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service, to promote leadership, and to develop character in the students of American Secondary Schools."

With service to the school as its main purpose, the members of the Chickasha Chapter of the National Honor Society conduct an assembly at the beginning of the school year to introduce the new students of Chickasha High School. They record activities of the school in a scrapbook, arrange the trophy cases, and prepare an activity record card for each student.

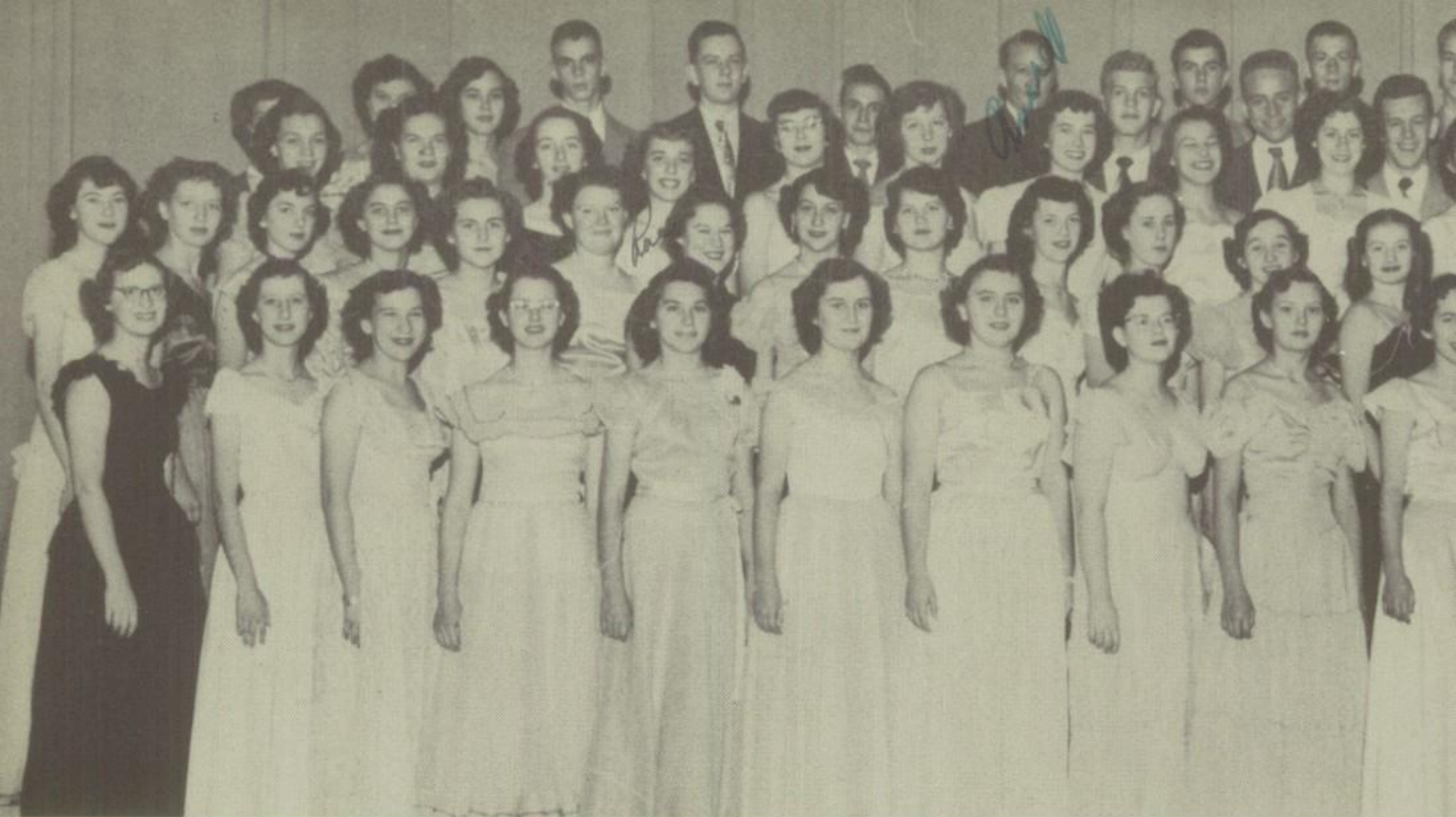
Each year at commencement time the Chickasha Chapter, under the direction of Miss Clara Belle Owen, conducts a formal induction service for incoming candidates. Parents, alumni, faculty and members of the board of education are invited to attend this impressive ceremony.



Miss Clara Belle Owen,
sponsor



These seniors, elected in their Junior year, were the original group at the beginning of the year. *Top row, left to right:* Mary Lou Baity, vice-president; Lauana Palmer, Student Council representative; Don Funk; Vern Nell Shield. *Bottom row, left to right:* Dan Taylor, president; Miss Clara Belle Owen, sponsor; Mona Stark, secretary-treasurer and Chick-Chat representative.



Top row: Majorie Mobley, Betty Evans, Margaret Wiebener, Lyle Cunningham, Jim Rice, Dwain Boothe, Russell Pethtel, Jim Smiley, George Dutton, Martin Duncan, Evert Sperling, John Malaby, Jon Wilson, Don Underwood, Duane Wheeler, John Butler, Charles Howard, Carl Spriestersbach, Charles Wall, John Kunau, Jack Mallouf, Bob Austin, Woody Southerland, Janice Cooper, Shirley Rotramel, Betty Allen

Second Row: Mary Creasy, Anna Dee Lang, Neva Gateka, Mary Rae Finley, Norma Pearson, Wanice Rogers, Betty Pearson, Beverly Downs, Evaleen Crow, Barbara Bowman, Louise Bellah, LaVerne Norman, Barbara E. Thomas, Marion Airington, Janelle Wiebener, Shirlene Eskridge, Paula Dickey, Jeanne Wiley, Bobbye Quayle

to serve our school



Director: Mrs. Irma Lee Caldwell

Sophomore Girls Quartet, left to right: Shirley Cook, Pat Carter, Mita Faye Munn, Gail Minnett

Girls Trio, left to right: Mary Busby, Paula Dickey, Beth Mayo

VOCAL MUSIC

Chorus



November 20
All State Choral
festival

November 22
Union Thanksgiving
service

December 20
Messiah assembly

December 21
Messiah performance



Third Row: Barbara Walker, Laureta Thompson, Jimmie Lu Paul, Gail Minnett, Mary Ann Ransbarger, Virginia Pate, Pat Anderson, Lauana Palmer, Meta Faye Munn, Allene White, Dorothy Bryan, Mona Stark, Mary Ann Russell, Phyllis Slee, Joy Funk, Billie Jo Bomsberger, Sue Smith, Charlotte Gassaway, Erma Chandler, Emma Lee Beauchamp, Virginia Odom, Dorothy Ayers, Sylvia Fullerton

Bottom Row: Frances Venable, Dean Allen, Oleta Turner, Vern Nell Shield, Jean Woolman, Harriet Edmiston, Janet Bowen, Shirley Howard, Eva Jo Smith, Beth Mayo, Mary Virginia Satterwhite, Fern Combs, Beth Ann Huntley, Sandra Maley, Patricia Vaughan, Lora Lea Gibson, Patricia Williams, Sue Nipps, Patricia Carter, Shirley Cook, Mary Busby

and our community.

Accompanists: Mona Stark, Janelle Wiebener

Mixed Quartet, left to right: Russell Pethel, Pat Anderson, Mary Rae Finley, Bob Austin

Boys Quartet, left to right: Lewis Flagler, Duane Wheeler, Martin Duncan, Woody Southerland

DEPARTMENT Activities

April 5
Spring concert
April 12, 13, 14
District Vocal
contest
April 26, 27
State Final Vocal
contest

Russell Pethel



Martin Duncan



Front row, left to right: Don Wilcox, Wes Venable, Ronald Schroeder, Jevita Kell, Dena Geurkink
 Second row, left to right: Mary Inez Lester, Dale Kennedy, Gemey Betts, June Wadsworth, Larry Dahlgren, Helen Sparks, Barbara Hilton, Frances Dungan
 Third row, left to right: Bill Crosby, Carlene Schroeder, Mary Lou Osborne, Fred Brown, Douglas Pyle, Karl Priestersbach, Johnnie Mosley, Fannie Creech, Bernie Stott, Elizabeth Horn
 Fourth row, left to right: Paula Jean Dickey, Pat Boyle, Mary Rae Finley, Sammy Mitchell, Larry Ross, Johnnie Yager, Leacil Wilfong, Mr. Glenn Stark, Jerry Evans, Donald Mawdy, Ben DeKinder

All ears were lent to hear



Don Wilcox

Don Wilcox
Drum Major

*Helen Sparks
Wanez & Ellis*



Majorettes: Helen Sparks, Wanez Ellis, Mary Rae Finley, Mona Stark

CHICKASHA HIGH Activities

- Farewell parade to Forty-Fifth division
- Football games and parades
- Assembly band
- State Marching contest, Oklahoma City, Oct. 21
- Political rally, Nov. 7
- Christmas parade, Duncan, Nov. 28
- Grady County festival, Tuttle, Dec. 2
- Santa Claus parade, Chickasha, Dec. 7



Front row, left to right: Mary White, Helen Jo Bolton, Billy Smith, Oscar Ogle, Wendle Potts, Don Tibbetts
 Second row, left to right: Barbara Harriman, Mona Stark, David McCurley, Fred LeBeau, Ray Dickey, Howard Bowers
 Third row, left to right: Ramona Waund, Janet Folker, Robert Howery, Wanez Ellis, Betty Hurst, Buster Baxter, Stanley Richison, Perry Carter, Ronnie Hart, Aaron Stewart, Alfred Schuler
 Fourth row, left to right: Lewis Neal, George Dutton, Trent Jenkins, Bennie Foreman, Duane Underwood, Pat Anderson, Bobby Calhoun, Richard Mitchell, Frieda Myers, Don Kendall, Bob DeKinder

sweet music in the air

SCHOOL BAND

Activities

- State Band clinic, Stillwater, Dec. 14-15
- Band concerts—Dec. 18; Feb. 15; March 29
- All-State band, Norman, Feb. 22-24
- S. W. Music Educators band, Oklahoma City, March 7-10
- District contest, Weatherford, April 12-13
- State contest, Stillwater, May 3-4
- Tri-State Band Festival, Enid, May 10-12

Officers: Bob DeKinder, president; Mary Rae Finley, Student Council representative; Paula Dickey, Chick-Chat representative; George Rankin, librarian



MR.
GLENN
STARK
director



George Rankin

THE PRAIRIE SCH^oONER



Row against the wall, left to right: Mary Lois Quayle, Mrs. Edith Welch, James Davis
 Second row, left to right: Don Whitaker, Margaret Chapman, Mary Lou Baity, Sallie Sue Beeler
 First row, left to right: Kaye Kitchens, Myrna Lee Black, Ray Smedley, Mary Mildred Hardiman

And our names were there in headlines.

THE PRAIRIE SCHOONER



Left to right: Kaye Kitchens, assistant editor, Myrna Lee Black, editor

"The Prairie Schooner," the news organ of Chickasha High School, is prepared and edited by the journalism class. The main purposes of the paper are to make available to students and parents accurate and interesting accounts of school activities and to promote ideas for the betterment of the school. The paper is under the direction of Mrs. Edith Welch.

A C T I V I T I E S

These many activities contribute much to our established programs and events as well as give opportunities to create more interest and color in our school life.





First row, left to right: Tommy Rose, James Williams, J. C. Houx, Don Perry, Mr. Amos Smotherman
 Second row, left to right: Bob Shoemake, Ronnie Hefner, Darryl Roberson, Billy Fields, Keith Jermain, Jerry Smith
 Third row, left to right: John Kile, Roger McMasters, Wyman Webster, Bobby Calhoun

T & I TRADE DRAWING

Through our varied activities



Don Perry gets individual instruction from Mr. Smotherman on drawing floor plans for a house.

TRADE DRAWING

The purpose of trade drawing is to develop the skills and give the knowledge necessary to become a draftsman. The various kinds of drawing involved in the course are machine drawing, sheet metal development and architectural drawing. Also the art of making tracings and blue printing is taught. The class operates for three consecutive hours each day, with a total of fifteen hours a week. A person may take the course as long as he can be benefited by it. This is the second year that the course has been set up in Chickasha High School. The course is taught by Mr. Amos Smotherman.

Members of the class at work on their various drawings.





Top row: Cecil Sanderson, Armon Perrin, Martin Duncan, Ralph Boswell, Paul Tice
 Middle row: Ronald Jagers, Bennie Smith, Kendall Dykes, Roger McMasters, Louis Lester
 Bottom row: Eugene Gilley, Everett Sperling, J. M. Barrett, Royce Perrin, James Schmidt, Mr. Amos Smotherman

T & I CARPENTRY

we had many opportunities

The carpentry class of the Trades and Industry department, under the direction of Mr. Amos Smotherman, plan and build a five-room house. These pictures show various stages in the construction. The top picture on the right shows the house as it was in February. In the lower right picture, Mr. Smotherman, "Teach," is showing Armon Perrin how to frame-in for a floor furnace. The center picture shows J. M. Barrett, Glendal Shadoan, Everett Sperling, Bennie Smith, Cecil Sanderson, and Don Cabler putting up the wall framework. In the lower left picture, Louis Lester, Tommy Briscoe and J. M. Barrett study the blue prints.





Top row, left to right: Raymond McDowell, Clark Bush, Starling Miller, Berry Mitchell, Chester Tumelson, Buster Baxter, Douglas Sullivan, Charles Pittman
Second row: Mr. Leroy LeForce, advisor, Mac White, Bobby Hackett, Harry Wall, Jackie Fitzpatrick, James Scott, Royce Barrington, Larry Standridge, Don Schenk, Ted Bingham, Charles Dungan, Vern Brown, feed dealer
Bottom row: Charles Brown, Estel Standridge, Billy Nabors, Charles Alexander, Olan Thornton, Don Smith, Don Willoughby, Joe Byford, Howard Brown, Edward Schenk, Joe Frey

to develop abilities

The FFA, the Future Farmers of America, is striving not only to win honors but to teach boys many different phases of agriculture. Some of these are the proper feeding of different livestock, the control of insects damaging to crops, and how to improve the farm. Among the most important factors learned in the FFA work are sportsmanship and how to mingle with boys from other chapters.

FUTURE FARMERS



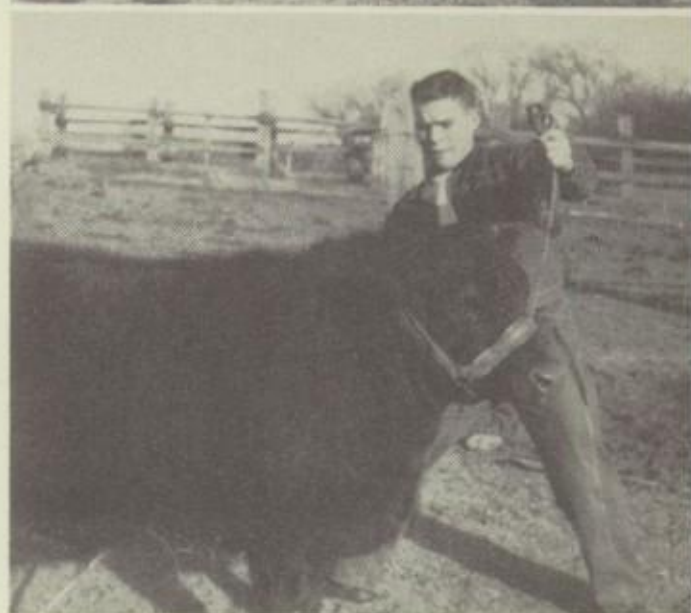
The officers play an important part in promoting the FFA. *Pictured from left to right are:* Howard Brown, secretary; Joe Frey, treasurer; Estel Standridge, president; Larry Standridge, reporter; and Ted Bingham, vice-president.

Below is Mr. Leroy LeForce, vocational agriculture teacher, who has a large responsibility in the work of our organization. This is Mr. LeForce's first year to teach at Chickasha High School.





The FFA chapter at Chickasha is one of the largest chapters in Oklahoma. 1. The FFA work has been furthered to a great extent since the new building was erected in 1948. 2. Buster Baxter is pictured doing work in the farm shop, which is very useful in the building of property boxes and other articles. 3. In the next picture Douglas Sullivan, Chester Tumelson, and Starling Miller are looking over the winnings of the fall shows. 4. Next Mr. LeForce, Charles Dungan and Estel Standridge are shown loading livestock for the Fort Worth livestock show. 5. Charles Dungan and Starling Miller are next shown grooming a steer. This 1,000 pound steer was champion at Tulsa, and first at Kansas City.



6. Next pictured is Larry Standridge showing his 950 pound Angus steer which placed reserve champion at Tulsa, champion Angus at Oklahoma City and second at Kansas City. 7 Pictured here are several of the second-year boys cleaning up after working in the shop. 8. Knowing how to run terraces is of great use on the farm, so J. W. Henderson, Clark Bush, Olan Thornton, Billy Nabors and Don Willoughby are learning how. 9. The FFA has a 15 minute program over KWCO every Saturday at 11:15. Pictured here is Charles Brown at the "mike" conducting one of these programs. 10. Mr. LeForce and Estel Standridge are looking over the 120 ribbons and 7 trophies won in state and national shows. These show that our FFA chapter ranks among the highest in the state and nation as well as teaches the boys the fundamentals of a life's work.



for college or job **FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA**



Top row, left to right: Beth Huntley, Augustine Jones, Ruby Long, Wanice Rogers, Norma Pearson, Kay Osborne, Gail Minnett, Virginia Odom, Charlotte Gassaway, Billie Turner
Second row: Dorthy Hendrix, Shirley Armstrong, Ann Virgin, Lelia Hayes, Jaquetta Fitzpatrick, Velma Medlin, Margaret Lay, Nellie McMasters, Carol Bolton, Miss Ila Lucas
Third row: Janet Bowen, DeLois Dutton, Leona Armstrong, Eula Dutton, Oleta Turner, Mary Jane Lemon, Margaret Russell, Mita Faye Munn
Bottom row: Mary Creasey, Emma Lee Beauchamp, Phyllis Slee, Eva Jo Smith, Pat Anderson

FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

home or career.



Officers, left to right, seated: Ruby Long, president; Dorthy Hendrix, vice-president; Betty Linton, secretary; Margaret Russell, treasurer
Standing, left to right: Pat Anderson, Chick-Chat representative; Lawana Chapman, song leader; Eula Dutton, historian; Mary Creasy, Student Council representative; Jaquetta Fitzpatrick, reporter; Lelia Hayes, parliamentarian

This is a scene in the sewing room of the homemaking department. The students are discussing the color and design of dress-making.



The Future Homemakers of America is a club composed of senior high school students who are, or who have been, enrolled in homemaking.

FHA is quite a young organization in Oklahoma. There have been student homemaking clubs since 1928, but not until 1937 was there a state-wide organization.

In 1937, six hundred delegates adopted the name "Future Homemakers of Oklahoma" at their state rally. During 1944-45, Oklahoma became a part of the national organization, Future Homemakers of America.

This year, members of the Chickasha chapter attended the leadership conference at El Reno. They also attended the state rally, March 31.

Miss Ila Lucas is sponsor and Mrs. Cornelia Carter, co-sponsor.



Standing, left to right: Ray Bowles, Eugene Arnold, Shirley Howard, Nadine Webb, Alger Clark, Ben Goff, George Ishler, Carol Bolton, Jack Briscoe, Joe Cook
Seated, left to right: Miss Nellie Waterman, speech director, Mary Mildred Hardiman, Bill Hickman

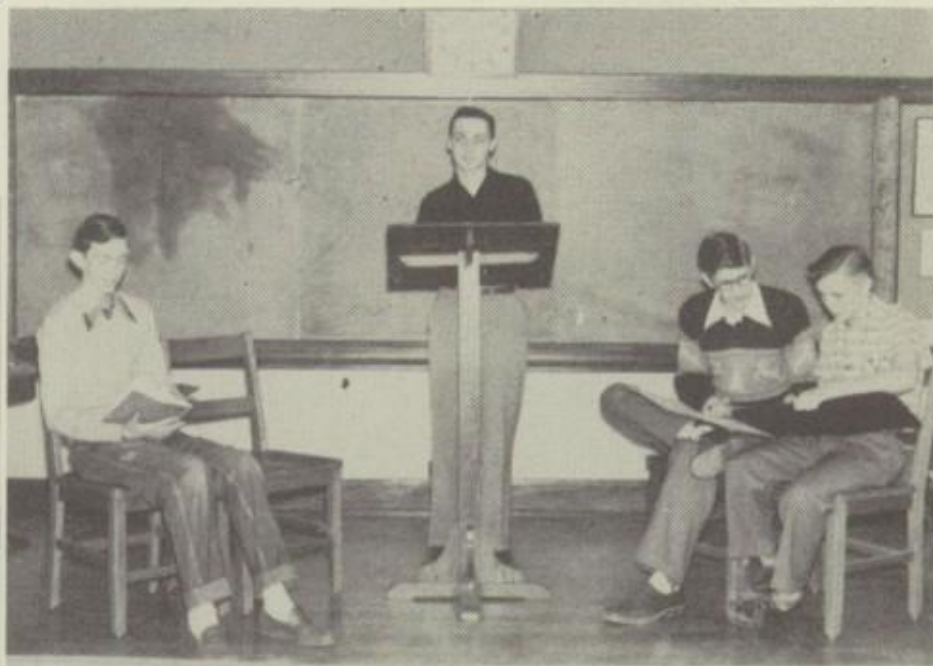
CONTEST SPEECH CLASS

In every stage

The contest speech and debate class is offered as an extra-curricular course at Chickasha High School. It meets each Monday, Tuesday, and Friday from 7:30 until 8:30 a.m. The class studies, as well as practices, the techniques of debate and interpretive speech.

It has participated in debate, discussion, extemporaneous speaking, radio speaking, Bible reading, oral interpretation of public address, oratory, dramatic and humorous literature and poetry.

Nadine Webb looks on while Eugene Arnold records Jack Briscoe's radio speech.



The negative team, Bill Hickman and Ben Goff, take notes on Joe Cook's speech. George Ishler looks for more evidence for the affirmative case.



Back row, left to right: Edna Roberts, Pat Anderson, Mona Stark, Evaleen Crow
 Second row, left to right: Mary Creasey, Mary Rae Finley, Ramona Waund, Charlene Stanton, Lauana Palmer, Betty Pearson
 Third row, left to right: Jeanne Lance, Mary Lou Belk, Paula Jean Dickey, Ann Waldon Janelle Johnson, Jerrie Lou Hill
 Fourth row, left to right: Udeen McDonald, Nadine Webb, Peggy Brock, Kaye Kitchens
 Standing, left to right: Mrs. Venetta Kell, sponsor, Myrna Lee Black, Barbara Dunlap

of our future life

First row: Paula Jean Dickey, president; Barbara Dunlap, vice-president
 Second row: Kaye Kitchens, secretary; Udeen McDonald, treasurer.
 Club representatives: Myrna Lee Black, Student Council; Betty Pearson, Chick-Chat.



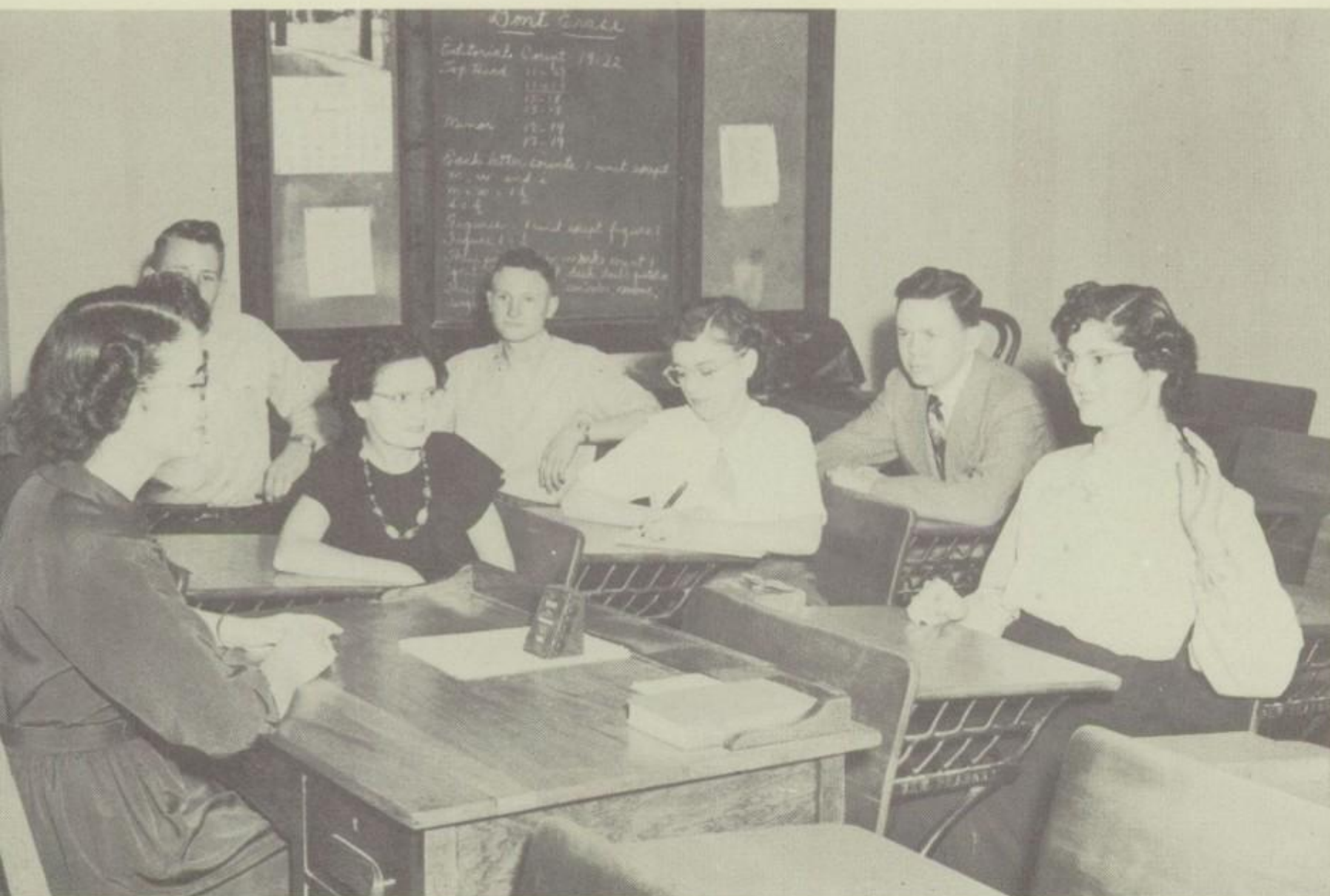
COMMERCIAL CLUB

The Commercial club was organized to promote interest in the business field. To be eligible for membership a student must be enrolled in at least two commercial classes.

The president of the club appoints committees which are responsible for the semi-monthly programs. Some of the meetings take the form of tours of business establishments. On other occasions speakers present the program. Emphasis is placed particularly on "Business Etiquette."

Six members of the club presented a one-act play "The Blue Jeans Girl" for assembly November 29, 1950.

The group also enjoyed two social events during the year, a skating party and a picnic.



Back row: Stanley Richison, Melton Brown
 Second row: Mrs. Edith Welch, DeLois Dutton, John Clement
 First row: Mary Lou Baity, Mary Mildred Hardiman

wherever we may be

LE CERCLE FRANCAIS

The French Club was organized in 1945 to help promote interest in the French people, their language and their customs. The annual Christmas banquet, celebrating Le Reveillon, is always awaited eagerly. The students prepare and serve typical French foods.

Among the interesting club projects this year is the study of French poetry and prose selections through the students' wire recordings. Each student has a French student his own age with whom he corresponds.



Club officers are: Mary Lou Baity, president; Melton Brown, vice-president; Stanley Richison, treasurer; DeLois Dutton, secretary; Mary Mildred Hardiman, Chick-Chat representative; and John Clement, Student Council representative.



Standing, left to right: Kaye Kitchens, Mary Lou Baity, Marion Airington, Ruby Long, Maxola Johnson, Pat Anderson, Don Funk
 Seated: Lelia Hayes, Miss Todd, registrar, Jevita Ann Kell, Margaret Russell, Jean Lance, Margaret Chapman, Dorthy Hendrix, Eula Dutton
 Not pictured: Myrna Lee Black, Phyllis Belew, and Jacquetta Fitzpatrick

our hearts fill with pride

OFFICE STAFF



MISS HILDRED TODD
 Registrar

To be selected as one of the persons to serve on the office staff is an honor. The principle job of these persons is to look after the office business in general and to assist Miss Hildred Todd, registrar; and Mr. Trice Broadrick, principal.

Running errands, taking messages to teachers and students, and answering the telephone, besides picking up the slips from the various rooms and posting the absentee and tardy slips on the register sheet make up a full and busy hour for everyone.

Miss Todd supervises the work of the office staff and sees that the work is efficiently done.



Top row, left to right: Don Whitaker, Mildred Hardiman, Freddy Bassett, Jerrie Lou Hill, J. C. Houx
Second row, left to right: Joe Byford, Carolyn Acord, Bob Austin, Betty Pearson, Clark Bailey, Mrs. Majorie Jones
Third row, left to right: Miss Hattie Kilgore, sponsor, Mavis Crow, Paula Jean Dickey, Betty Jean Vermillion, Beverly Downs, Kay Kitchens
Bottom row, left to right: Mona Stark, Myrna Lee Black, Barbara Dunlap, Pat Anderson

as we sing our Alma Mater.

CHICK-CHAT STAFF

The Chick-Chat staff is composed of elected representatives from the various clubs, organizations and classes. The faculty advisors are the sponsors of each group. The editor and assistant editor are elected by the staff and faculty advisors. Hard work and determination are necessary for the production of an annual. We have endeavored to make the best publication ever.



Top row, left to right: Boyd Pilcher, art editor; Margaret Chapman, snapshot editor
Bottom row, left to right: Myrna Lee Black, assistant editor; Mona Stark, editor-in-chief



Back row, left to right: Kaye Kitchens, Ann Brees, Betty Jean Vermillion, Kay Osborn, Carol Bolton, Joy Funk
 Second row, left to right: Shirley Cook, Shirley Rotramel, Betty Allen, Billie Ann Turner, Dorothy Bryan, Rita Jean Watson, Charlotte Gassaway, Beth Ann Huntley
 Front row, left to right: Beverly Downs, Jeanne Wiley, Carolyn Acord, Maejean LaBoon, Nancy Norton, Janelle Johnson, Eva Jo Smith, Mita Fay Munn

Hail Alma Mater



ANN
BREES
President

Ann Brees

NET WITS

The Net Wits tennis club was formed in 1945. Anyone interested in tennis is eligible for membership. The officers for this year are: Ann Brees, president; Beverly Downs, vice-president; Janelle Johnson, secretary; Kay Osborn, treasurer; Eva Jo Smith, Student Council representative; Carolyn Acord, Chick-Chat representative.

Left to right: Rita Jean Watson, Carolyn Acord, Kay Osborn, Nancy Norton





Top row, left to right: Wyman Webster, Martin Duncan, Don Pittman, Bill Pierce, Bill Erwin, Frank Roberts
 Second row: Freddy Bassett, Jerry Sneed, Jim Smiley, John Clement, Rudy Rockett, Lewis Lester
 Third row: Evert Sperling, Carroll Tuggle, Loren Booher, Nick Smith, Jerry Cole, Joe Alexander
 Bottom row: Don Whitaker, J. C. Houx, Clark Bailey, Bill Singer, Don Booher, Don Singer, Don Funk

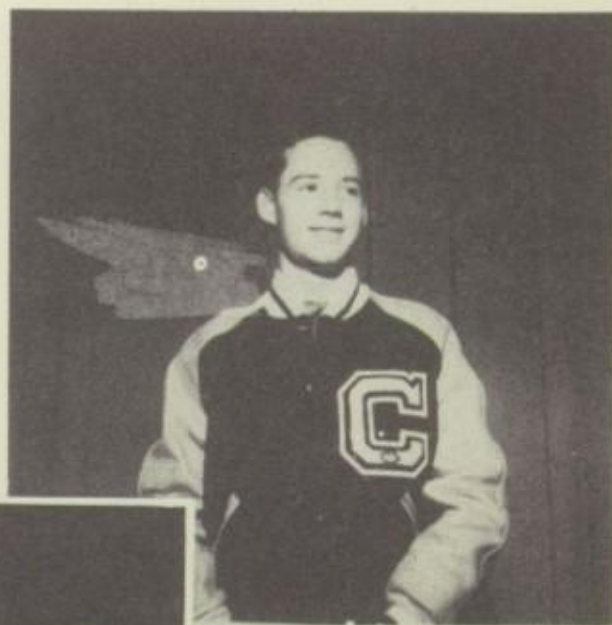
Stand by her always *Don Funk*

"C" CLUB

The "C" Club was reorganized in 1949-50 after being inactive for several years. It is an honor to be in the "C" Club. In order to become a member of the club you must have earned a letter in athletics. Mr. Bobby Goad, head football coach, is the sponsor.

The "C" Club sponsored a homecoming dance during football season.

Club officers are: Don Funk, president; Bill Pierce, vice-president; Lewis Lester, secretary-treasurer; Freddy Bassett, Chick-Chat representative; Don Whitaker, Student Council representative. Wilbur Neal and Rudy Rockett are sergeant-at-arms.



DON FUNK
 president



Football Coach Bobby Goad issues John Clement his letter jacket as Jerry Sneed looks on. In the background, Jim Smiley helps Freddy Bassett put on his jacket.



Top row: Miss Waterman, Wyman Webster, Billy Smith, Marvin Sikes, Jack Briscoe, George Ishler, David Crouch, Don Underwood
Middle row: Buddy DeHart, Larry Kilborne, Bill Hickman, Woody Southerland, Bob Austin, Jim Rice, Charles Howard, John Hart, Gordon Bittle
Bottom row: Duane Wheeler, Tommy Rose, John Kunau, Eugene Arnold, Johnny Mosley, Jim Wood

We'll always push you on

ROOSTERS

The Rooster club is one of the pep organizations in CHS. It is now in its 22nd year. During this time around three hundred and fifty boys have been members, many of whom are now business men in Chickasha.

The club's purpose is to support athletics and all other worthwhile activities in the school. Its uniform is a gold jacket with the club emblem on the back and the school emblem, "The Fightin' Chick," conspicuously displayed on the sleeve.

Regular meetings are held every Wednesday throughout the school year.



Officers, left to right: Duane Wheeler, secretary-treasurer; Woody Southerland, vice-president; Bill Hickman, president; George Ishler, Student Council representative



Top row, left to right: Jerry Sneed, Tommy Winton, Don Whitaker, Martin Duncan, Jim Smiley, John Clement, Bill Erwin, Jack Mallouf

Middle row, left to right: Don Singer, Carroll Tuggle, Jerry Cole, Lyle Cunningham, Bob DeKinder, Bill Singer, Duard Givens, sponsor

Bottom row, left to right: Leacil Wilfong, Clark Bailey, Alger Clark, Dwain Boothe, Chauncey Goetting, Joe Cook, George Dutton

to victory ever.



Officers left to right: Bill Erwin, sergeant-at-arms; George Dutton, secretary-treasurer; Don Singer, vice-president

HONYOKS

The Honyoks pledged ten boys this year. These pledges sold scrapbooks with the "Fightin' Chick" on the cover. Pledges became members the second semester, bringing the total membership to thirty boys. Our annual basketball game with the Roosters was held the second semester.

Carroll Tuggle, Student Council representative; Don Whitaker, Chick-Chat representative; and the included officers at the left were elected last year by members of the club on the approval of our sponsor, Mr. Duard Givens.

We, as Honyoks, think we have had another successful year.



Yell leaders, *left to right*: Valerie Huntley, Beverly Downs, Mary Busby; Mascot: Donna Rae Henkle
Bottom row, left to right: Beverly Henkle, Barbara Cochran, Jane Walker, Carol Bolton, Betty Jean Vermillion, Jeanne Wiley, Carolyn Acord, Mary Ann Russell, LaVerne Norman, Barbara Dunlap, Myrna Lee Black, Marilyn McAfee, Mildred Hardiman
Second row, left to right: Ila Marie Vermillion, Jerrie Lou Hill, Meta Faye Munn, Eva Jo Smith, Nancy Norton, Gaye Rogers, Ann Brees, June Webb, Barbara Ann Thomas, Mary Ann Ransbarger, Harriet Edmiston, Beth Mayo, Shirly Howard
Top row, left to right: Betty Savage, Allene White, Shirley Rotramel, Janelle Johnson, Kay Osborne, Verla Jo Wood, Emily Thompson, Barbara Thomas, Udeen Huffine McDonald, Mary Virginia Satterwhite, Gail Minnett

We're backed by

CHICKETTES

On May 24, 1950, the Chickettes began the 1950-51 round of activities with their annual breakfast at which time the officers for the year were elected.

Our club, which was organized in 1927, takes an active part in all football games and home basketball tilts. We helped with the coronation of the queens, and at the end of football season we honored the players and their coaches with our traditional banquet.

Now, as we look back on this year, recall our good times together, recognize our mistakes, we feel that we have had a prosperous year. We are leaving this year with hopes and cheers in our hearts for the Chickettes of 1951-52, and know they will keep the standards of our Chickette pep club as high as ever.



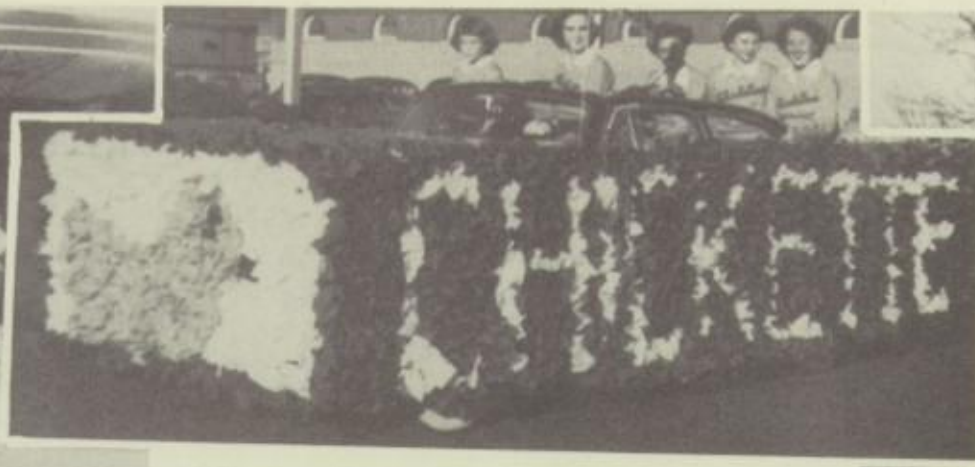
Officers, *left to right*: Myrna Lee Black, president; Jeanne Wiley, secretary; Mary Ann Russell, vice-president; Carol Bolton, parliamentarian; Beverly Downs, cheer leader.



Yell leaders, *left to right*: Valerie Huntley, Beverly Downs, Mary Busby



*From bottom up—Pete,
Repeat, Kate, Duplicate,
and No-mo.*



*Chickette royalty in a
classy "chassy."*



*Heel to heel, toe to toe,
Hand in hand, here we go—*

the finest school.



*I second the
motion.*



Madam President



Family gatherin'



Come on, Dead-pan, smile!





Yell leader, *left to right*: Maejean LaBoon, Beth Huntley Sue Moore, Paula Knox, mascot
 Second row, *left to right*: Kaye Kitchens, Ann Virgin, Jean Woolman, Pat Vaughan, Oleta Turner, Sara Kitchens, Elaine Nations, Betty Ragland, Dorothy Hendrix, Margaret Chapman
 Third row, *left to right*: Barbara Walker, Erma Kees, Sue Nipps, Betty Allen, Mary Wilcox, Phyllis Belew, Maxola Johnson, Pat Williams, Jimmie Paul, Joy Funk, Shirlene Eskridge, Leona Armstrong, Janet Bowen
 Fourth row, *left to right*: Karlene Abshier, Gwilda Davis, Betty Pearson, Neva Gateka, Laureta Thompson, Frances Venable, Dean Allen, Charlotte Gassaway, Billie Turner, Rita Watson, Louise Bellah, Joyce Renner, Ann Walden, Dorothy Kees, Mrs. O'Donley, Carol Savage
 Fifth row, *left to right*: Norma Pearson, Margaret Honegger, Carolyn Nash, Marion Airington, Loretta Love, Wanda West, Julia Wright



Officers, *left to right*: Betty Pearson, president; Shirlene Eskridge, vice-president; Phyllis Belew, treasurer; Maxola Johnson, secretary

Yell leaders, *left to right*: Beth Huntley, Maejean LaBoon, Sue Moore



Cheered by the students.

PEPETTES

The Pepette pep club was organized October 20, 1944 by a group of Senior girls and Mrs. Robert Mollett.

The Pepettes participate in all school activities possible. They sit in a group at football and basketball games as a cheering section. They attend as many out-of-town games as possible.

The club was organized for the purpose of promoting pep and school spirit. It has a membership of fifty girls who are chosen according to their dependability, cooperation, school interest and spirit, and scholastic average.

Each spring the Pepettes honor the basketball, baseball, track, tennis, and golf boys with a picnic.



Before



Pepette float in the football parade.



After

We'll all fight together



Hold tight Paula



*Barbara and Kaye
are sleepy, but Oleta?
Never!*



Homeward bound.



Waiting at the bus

*Laureta, Leona and Dot
gently sing.*



Left to right in both pictures: Mary Ann Russell, Beverly Jean Downs, Helen Sue Moore, Betty Jean Vermillion, Maejean LaBoon

for dear old C.H.S.
SCHOOL CHEER LEADERS



Is a swell
English buddy
and a wonderful
guy. I just think
of him in the
hear. "Be good
is it?"
Love
Julia
Wright

JULIA ANN WRIGHT
Football Queen



LEONA ARMSTRONG
Basketball Queen

Lots of luck
to a swell guy."
Leona



Left to right are: Beth Mayo, Junior attendant; Queen Julia Ann Wright; Paula Jean Dickey, Senior attendant; Donna Henkle, Chickette mascot, and Paula Knox, Pepette mascot, after being escorted from the crowning ceremony on the football field to the queen's convertible.

Homecoming is always an outstanding event of the school year and is one of our most treasured traditions. The Homecoming assembly is presented by former graduates and all graduates in attendance are introduced to the student body.

The Football queen and her attendants are introduced on the Homecoming assembly and later they lead the parade through downtown Chickasha.

The coronation of the 1950 queen and the presentation of her court took place at the game between Norman and Chickasha. Queen Julia Wright was escorted on the field and crowned by Vernon Free. Other members of the court were Paula Jean Dickey, Senior attendant, escorted by Jim Marquis, and Beth Mayo, Junior attendant, escorted by Jerry Tyrrell. Paula Knox, Pepette mascot, was crown bearer and Donna Henkle, Chickette mascot, was flower girl.

FOOTBALL QUEEN CORONATION

Paula Knox, Donna Henkle and Beth Mayo look on as Vernon Free crowns Julia Ann Wright 1950 Football queen.

Queen Julia Ann sits on her royal throne, while Paula Knox and Donna Henkle look on.



The coronation of the Basketball queen is one of the more recent events in Chickasha High School. The queen candidates are presented by petitions to the three classes, who choose two candidates each. These make up the queen's court. The basketball boys make the final selection of the queen who is presented and crowned at the half of a conference game.

The coronation of the 1951 Basketball queen was held at the Edmond game. The queen, chosen by the team, was Leona Armstrong, Sophomore. She was escorted by Bob Shoemake, who crowned her and presented her with the traditional basketball locket. Her attendants and their escorts were: Meta Faye Munn, Sophomore, and Jerry Jobe; Nancy Norton, Junior, and Bill Singer; Mary Busby, Junior, and Frank Roberts; Beverly Downs, Senior, and Don Funk; Myrna Lee Black, Senior, and Don Whitaker. Donna Henkle, Chickette mascot, was crown bearer, Paula Knox, Pepette mascot, carried the locket.



Left to right are: Paula Knox, Pepette mascot, Meta Faye Munn, Sophomore candidate, and Jerry Jobe; Nancy Norton, Junior candidate, and Bill Singer; Beverly Downs, Senior candidate, and Don Funk; Leona Armstrong, Sophomore candidate, and Bob Shoemake; Mary Ellen Busby, Junior candidate, and Frank Roberts; Myrna Lee Black, Senior candidate, and Don Whitaker; and Donna Henkle, Chickette mascot, waiting for Dan Taylor, vice-president of the Student Council, to announce the identity of the queen.

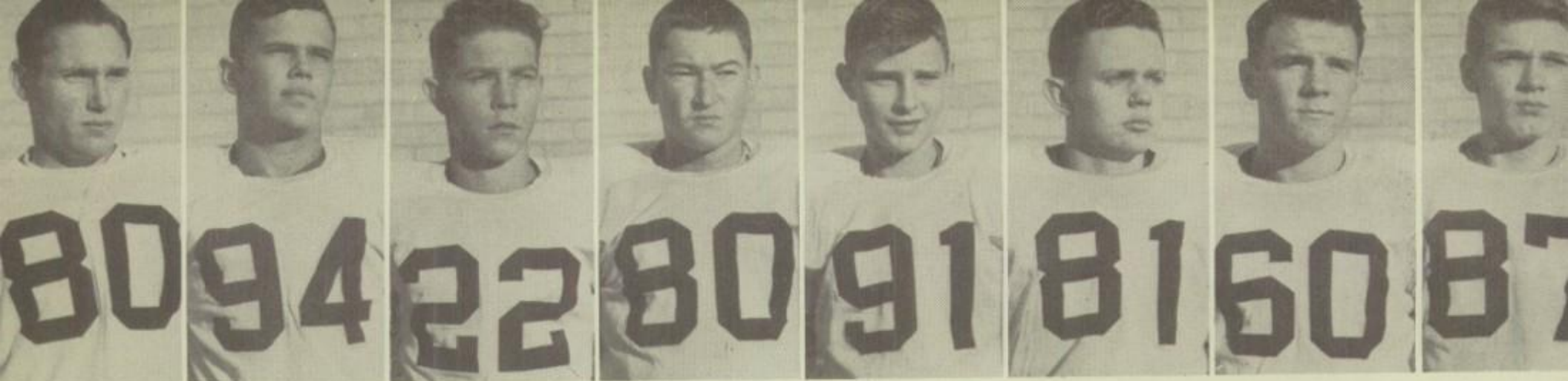
BASKETBALL QUEEN CORONATION

Mary Ellen Busby and Frank Roberts, and Donna Henkle look on as Bob Shoemake crowns Leona Armstrong 1951 Basketball queen.



Queen Leona and Bob Shoemake leave the basketball court as Meta Faye Munn and Jerry Jobe instruct Pepette mascot, Paula Knox, to follow.





Joe
Alexander
halfback

Freddy
Bassett
center

Don
Booher
halfback

Ralph
Boswell
tackle

Jerry
Box
end

John
Clement
guard

Jerry
Cole
fullback

Larry
Dahlgren
center

The athletic program

Our 1950 football team won nine games, lost one and tied one. We opened the season with a thrilling 19-18 upset over Clinton. We beat Pauls Valley 26-6, Edmond 27-7, Putnam City 26-19, edged El Reno 12-6, won over Anadarko 26-0, and tromped Oklahoma City Central 26-6. Our game with Norman ended in a tie 6-6. Fumbling cost us the Lawton game 27-6. We made a comeback after this game and beat Altus 27-18 and Duncan 31-20.

Frank Roberts, end; Don Pittman, tackle; Rudy Rockett; guard; Don Funk, center; and Don Whitaker, quarterback; were named all-district. Don Funk was named All-State by the Daily Oklahoman and the Tulsa World.

Duard
Givens
Coach

Bobby
Goad
Coach

Harly
Day
Coach

Martin
Duncan
end

Bill
Erwin
tackle

Vernon
Free
guard



Rudy Rockett and Robert Link pull down Oklahoma City Central's fullback, Jack Hodges, after gaining short yardage.



Don
Funk
center

J. C.
Houx
halfback

Larry
Hutson
end

Robert
Link
tackle

Jerald
Malcom
guard



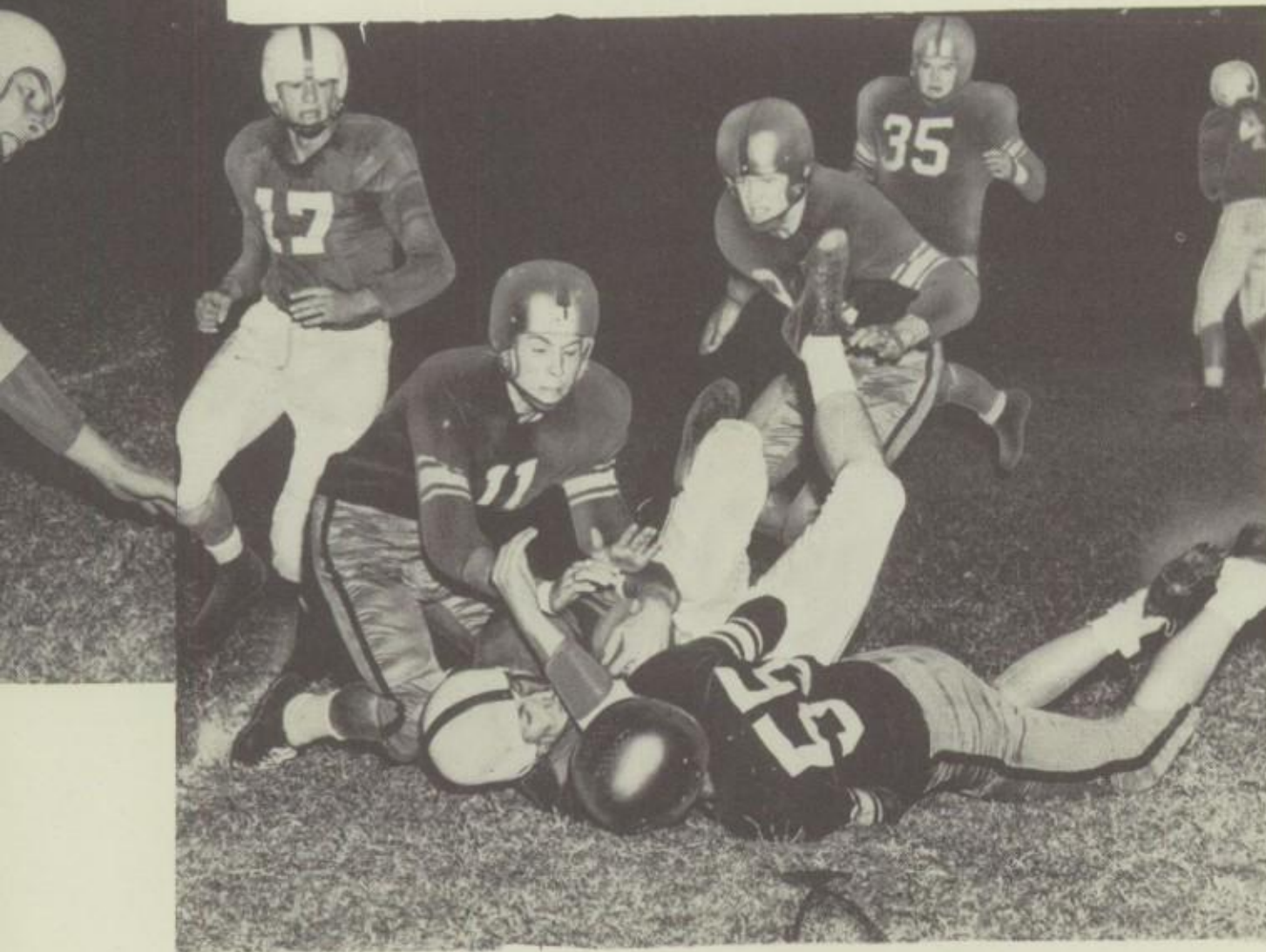


Jim Marquis halfback
 Wilbur Neal guard
 Virgil Petty quarterback
 Bill Pierce fullback
 Don Pittman tackle
 Frank Roberts end

gives ample opportunity

J. C. Houx (55) and Larry Hutson (11) bring down Jack Hodges of Central in one of the plays which marked the

Chick's 26-6 triumph. Jim Smiley (90) and Robert Link (35) close in on the play.



Rudy Rockett guard
 Jim Smiley end
 Loren Booher manager
 Don Dryden manager

SCORES

Chicks 19	Clinton 18
Chicks 26	Pauls Valley 6
Chicks 27	Edmond 7
Chicks 26	Putnam City 19
Chicks 12	El Reno 6
Chicks 26	Anadarko 0
Chicks 26	O. C. Central 6
Chicks 6	Norman 6
Chicks 6	Lawton 27
Chicks 27	Altus 18
Chicks 31	Duncan 20

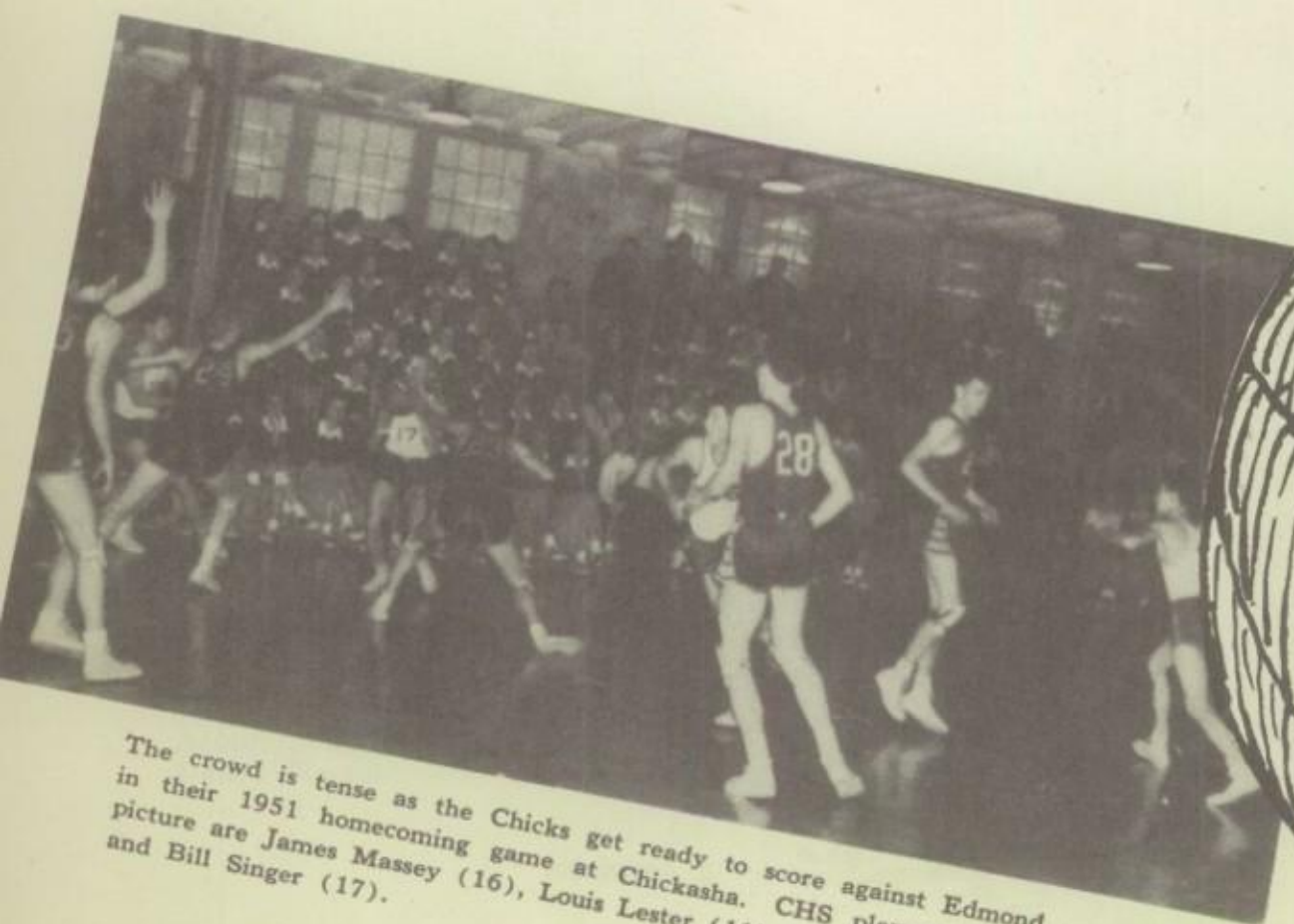
Nick Smith quarterback
 Jerry Sneed guard
 Jerry Tyrrell end
 Wesley Venable fullback
 Wyman Webster tackle
 Don Whitaker quarterback
 Bill Wilkins halfback
 Dr. Hilton Woods team physician



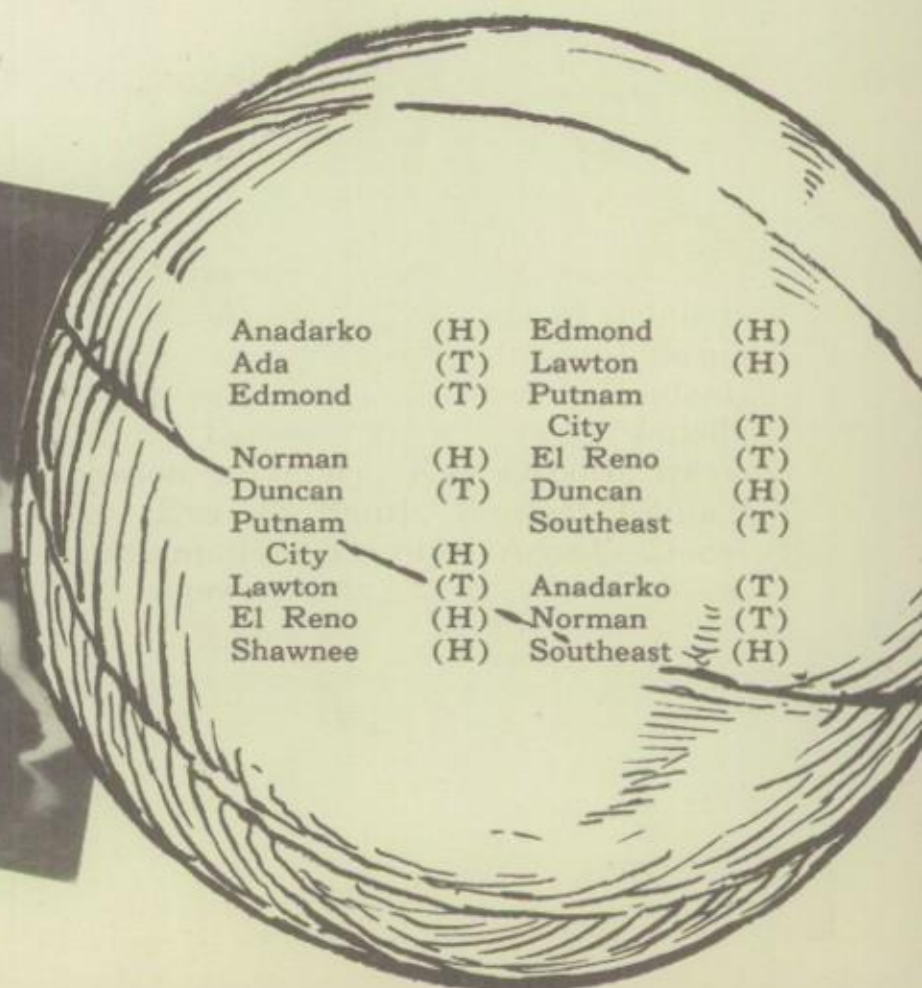


Top row, left to right: Jerry Box, Bill Pierce, Jim Krouse, James Massey, Frank Roberts
 Middle row, left to right: Mel Klepper, manager, Jerry Jobe, Louis Lester, Don Funk, Don Whitaker, Chauncey Goetting, manager
 Bottom row, left to right: Harly Day, coach, Bob Hurt, Virgil Petty, Bob Shoemake, Bill Singer, Duard Givens, coach

to develop physical fitness



The crowd is tense as the Chicks get ready to score against Edmond in their 1951 homecoming game at Chickasha. CHS players in the picture are James Massey (16), Louis Lester (11), Don Funk (18), and Bill Singer (17).



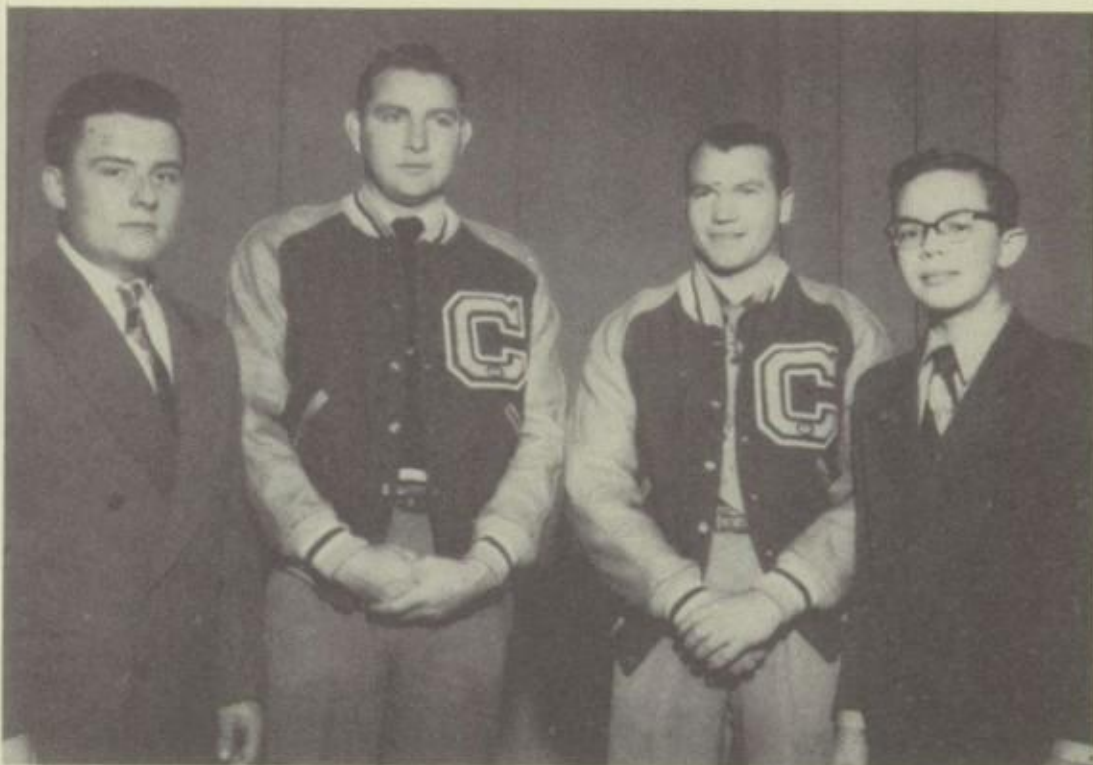
Chickasha sported a new coach and an all new team during the 1950-51 basketball season.

Spring graduation took all the starters from the 1949-50 squad, and Harly Day came to CHS as the new basketball mentor.

Though lacking in experience, the Chicks were full of fighting spirit and came through the season with a fair record.

Starters included forwards, Frank Roberts and Lewis Lester; center, James Massey; and guards, Don Funk and Bob Shoemake. All but Massey lettered last year as reserves. Lester is a junior, while the other four are seniors. Bill Pierce, a junior, is the only reserve with a letter. He was a starter in several of the games.

Other reserves are Don Whitaker and Bill Singer, seniors; Jerry Jobe, Jim Krouse, Jerry Box, Virgil Petty and Jerry Elston, sophomores. The B team, consisting of the sophomores, "burned up" the conference during the season indicating a powerhouse for Chickasha for the next two years.



Left to right: Chauncey Goetting, manager; Harly Day, coach; Duard Givens, assistant coach; Mel Klepper, manager

sportsmanship and cooperation

Don
Whitaker

Louis
Lester

Bob
Hurt

Bob
Shoemake

James
Massey

Bill
Singer

Don
Funk

Frank
Roberts

Jerry
Jobe

Bill
Pierce

Virgil
Petty

Jim
Krouse

Jerry
Box

Kit
Farwell,
sports
cameraman





Bottom row, left to right: Nicky Smith, Don Whitaker, Don Booher, Joe Alexander, Freddy Bassett, Bill Wilkins
 Middle row, left to right: Jerry Box, Wilbur Neal, Vernon Free, Lewis Lester, Jerry Elston, Elton Foley, Bill Horne
 Top row, left to right: Coach Harly Day, Frank Roberts, James Massey, Mike Russell, Jim Krouse, Bill King, Wayne Lehw

The Chickasha "Chicks" 1951 baseball season got off to an early start with practice beginning in March. About twenty-five boys reported to Coach Harly Day for baseball.

The first game of the season was a 3-2 victory over Verden, a scrimmage game in which each boy played.

The El Reno game was a 12-1 victory. Don Whitaker, backed by excellent fielding, threw a three hitter in this game.

The return game with Verden was a 11-2 victory for the Chickasha "Chicks" with Mike Russell pitching a 5 hitter.

The Anadarko game was a 24-1 victory for the "Chicks" with Bill Wilkins pitching.

BASEBALL

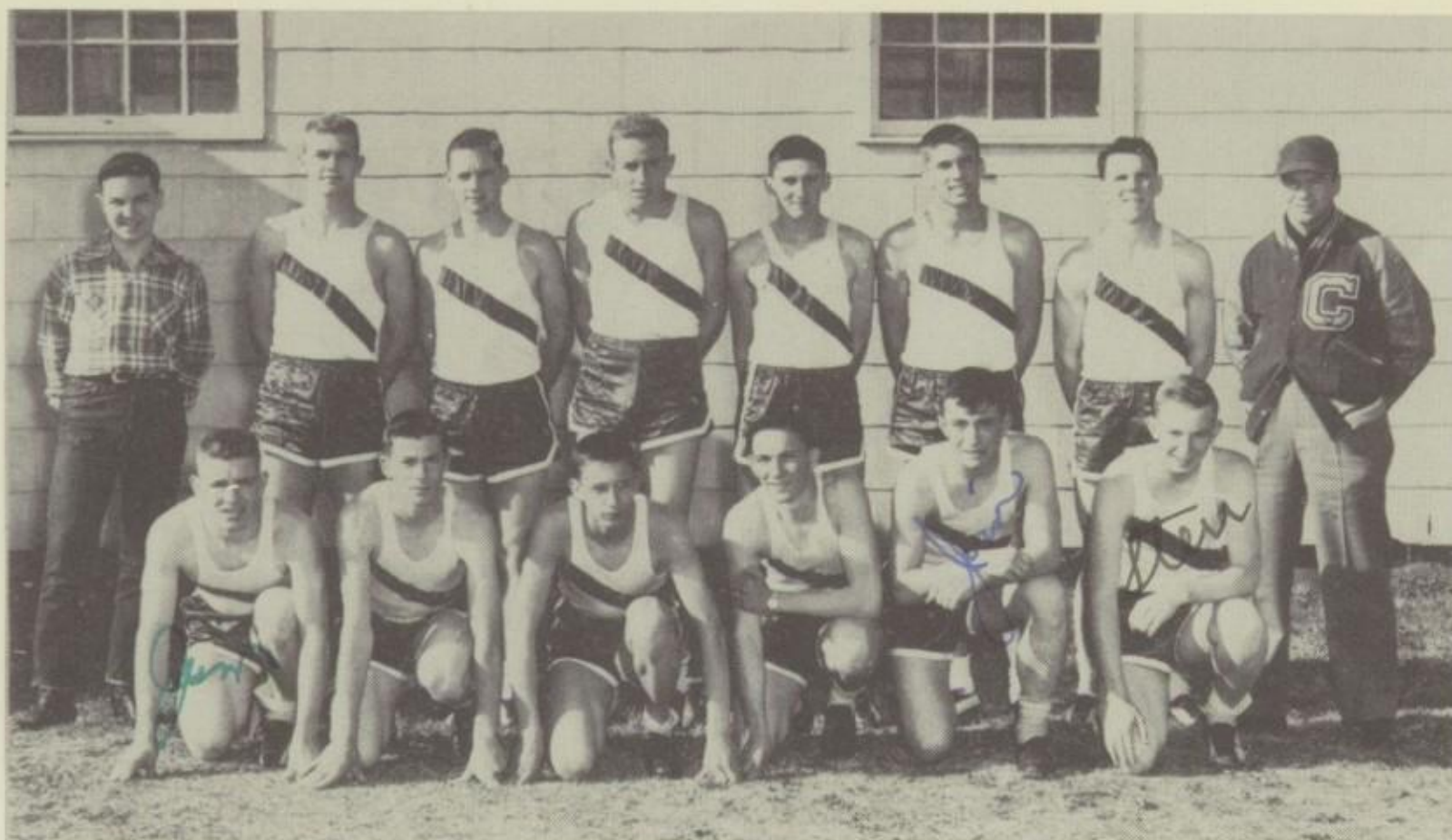
and excellent training



Picture No. 2. "Chick" centerfielder, Don Booher, is getting set to take a cut of a pitched ball in the Anadarko game.



Picture No. 3. James Massey, "Chick" rightfielder, takes a powerful swing at the ball.



Front row, left to right: Jim Marquis, Evert Sperling, Virgil Petty, Don Gibson, Jim Stafford, *Stew Stafford*
 Top row, left to right: Bill Grigsby, mgr., Jimmy Smiley, Don Funk, Martin Duncan, Jerry Tyrrell, Bill Pierce, Jerry Cole, Duard Givens, coach

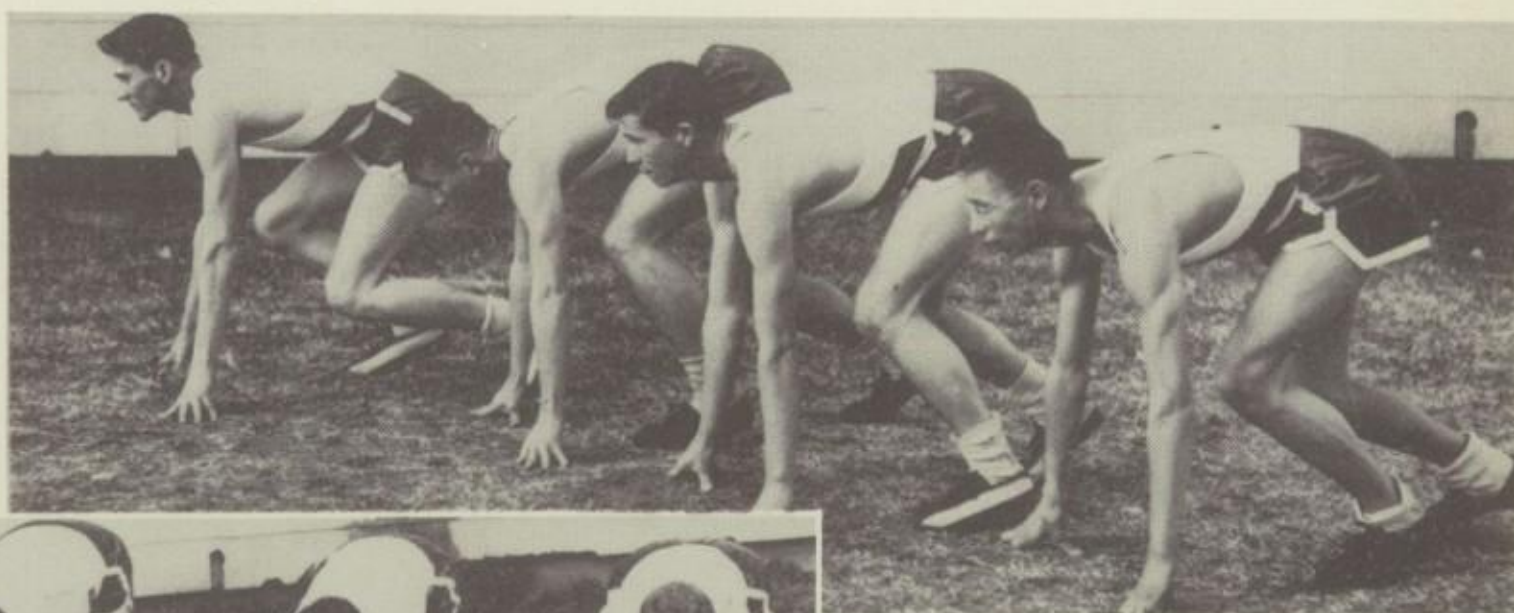
TRACK

The track team started the season with the breaking of two records, at a dual meet with Duncan. Both of the records, 220 and the 100 dash, were knocked from the top, by Bill Pierce, in the record time of 22:3 and 10:2 seconds.

SCHEDULE FOR 1951 SEASON

Duncan Dual.....	March 23
Aggie Relay.....	March 30
Southern Invitation.....	April 6
Bison Relays OBU.....	April 13
Lawton Dual.....	April 17
Boomer Conference.....	April 20
Regional.....	April 27
State.....	May 4

in every field of sports.



Above—880 Relay Team
 Left to right: Don Funk, Bill Pierce, Jerry Cole, Martin Duncan

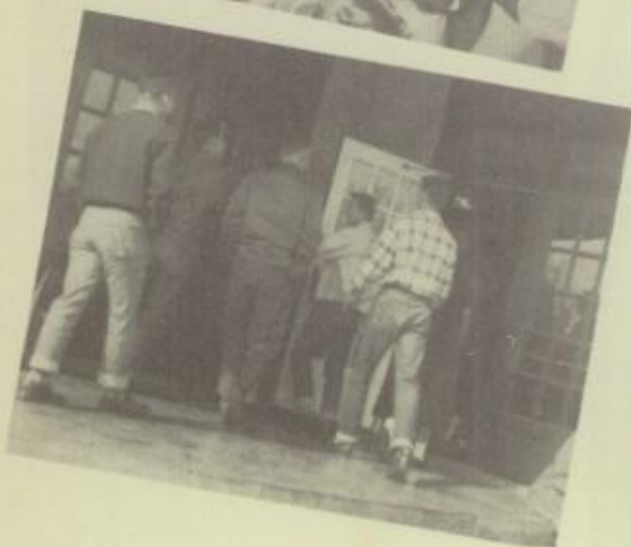
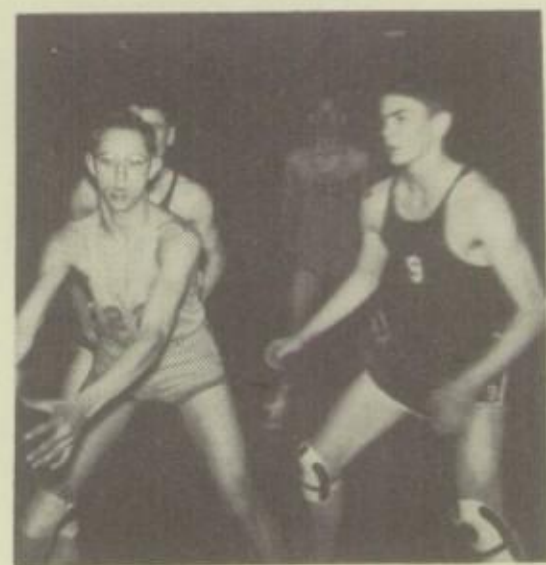


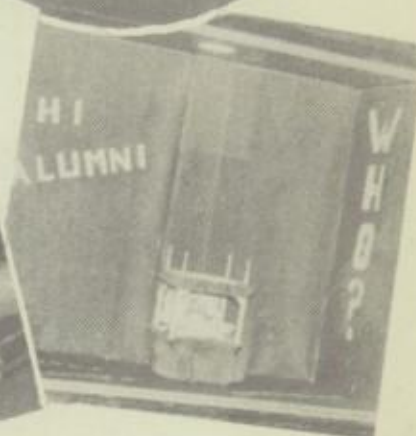
Left—Mile Relay Team
 Left to right: Jerry Tyrrell, Jim Stafford, Evert Sperling, Virgil Petty

*White mi
 Martin Duncan*



Our camera was slow to catch all the phases of school life at CHS during this exciting year. Sports occupied most of our attention. Our three coaches led us through a most interesting and successful season in football, basketball, baseball, tennis and track. Even acrobatics, band and queens came in for their share of interest, and by the end of school we were practically "standing on our heads" with joy over our sports season.





We had a chance to snap many shots of our varied school program. The administration changes, the installation of new equipment, new courses, and a variety of festivities that kept 450 students busy and happy, offered never-ending opportunities for our camera to record.





May these snapshots, captured by our camera, enable you to recall frivolities of the halls, classrooms and campus of CHS.



Don't remember like this Stan me

Best of Luck
A swell guy
Cora

DC BLM.
25.00

